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ADEQUATE HELP
TO BRITAIN DUE
LATE THIS YEARDirector of Production
Knudsen Witness on
Lease-Lend Bill

Washington, Jan. 18.—(AP)—President Roosevelt's defense production chief told congress today that it would be late in 1941 before this country could supply "any great amount" of aid to Britain under the lend-lease bill "unless we take products out of existing factories".

William S. Knudsen, director general of production management, recommended passage of the legislation to lend and lease munitions to Britain for her fight with the axis powers, on the ground that "this is part of our own defense".

Appearing before the house foreign affairs committee Knudsen was asked by Representative Rogers (R-Mass) whether he was satisfied with the defense program.

"Well, I think we are doing as well as could be expected", Knudsen replied. "I think we are doing fairly well. The real showing won't start until the tools are ready".

Representative Chipfield (R-Ill.) asked this question: If armaments were made to give England credit, such as repelling certain provisions of the neutrality and Johnson acts, wouldn't the same objective of British aid be accomplished as is sought in the bill?

Knudsen replied: "I don't see any difference between the bill and your statement".

"We, therefore, could accomplish this without giving all these broad powers to any one man", Chipfield commented.

"That one man happens to be my boss", Knudsen said with a laugh.

Congressional interest in the swiftly-moving controversy over the lend-lease proposal was heightened, meanwhile, by these other developments:

Kennedy on Air
Joseph P. Kennedy, retiring ambassador to Great Britain, was reported reliably to favor the principles of the proposal but to want some restrictions on method as set out in the pending bill. Kennedy will discuss his views in a radio address tonight (6 o'clock, CST) over a National Broadcasting Company network.

Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.), a leader of the opposition, said "several reliable sources" had informed him that Prime Minister Winston Churchill of Great Britain had been "insisting on a declaration of war" by the United States. The British, he said, wanted airplane pilots and sailors from this country.

Wheeler made his statement after Churchill in an unheralded address in Glasgow, Scotland, had said that Britain would "not require in 1941 large armies from overseas" but would require more American ships, airplanes and weapons than she would be able to pay for.

Harry Hopkins, President Roosevelt's personal representative in Britain, was present on the platform as Churchill spoke. Wheeler declared he had information that Hopkins mission in England was to determine "what immediate steps can be taken short of a war declaration".

At the White House, however, presidential aides declared they had never heard of the information which Wheeler reported.

See Crisis Approaching
Belief that the British were fast approaching a crisis which would develop within the next two or three months was expressed before the foreign affairs committee by Secretary of War Stimson and Secretary of the Navy Knox.

Asked by committeemen what kind of crisis he had in mind, Knox said it was one "in which the defeat of Britain was imminent". (See story on page 3).

Knox and Stimson urged speed in congressional approval of the lend-lease bill and thus took their positions with Secretaries Hull and Morgenthau, the only other witnesses on the bill to date.

As Republic cabinet officers in a Democratic administration both Knox and Stimson asked for confidence in Roosevelt and warned against "tying" his hands with restrictions in the bill lest the nation be unable to meet unanticipated developments.

Knox discounted the theory that a land expedition of a size greater than Britain could muster would be required to defeat Hitler.

"I believe it's going to happen the other way, by a collapse behind the German front", he said.

"When German cities are bombed, I don't believe the German people will stand up to the

Housewives Will
Be Shown How to
Baffle Husbands

Hash-detecting husbands, who insist on broadcasting the late history and origin of the main dinner dish, are due to be baffled and intrigued after The Dixon Evening Telegraph's seventh annual Cooking School winds up its revealing stay in the Dixon theater next week.

Although an appetizing assortment of new business is scheduled for the four interesting sessions—scheduled for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons—Mrs. Emily M. Lautz, who is to preside as "First Lady of the Kitchen," will confide some of her clever tips on making left-overs glamorous and freshly inviting.

In fact, those disguised revivals will be so full of "oomph" that the most critical husband will send his plate speeding back for a second helping, little suspecting that he is sitting in at the "remnant table" again.

Mrs. Lautz has no hesitation in giving away her success secrets for those second-helping dishes, for she knows that the true culinary artist always responds to genuine appreciation of the meal, which she has labored hours to assemble, prepare and serve.

All-Around Course
The Telegraph's timely Cooking School will be an all-around household arts course, for the pre-judging expert recognizes that in each of her large audiences will be diversity of need, diversity of age, and diversity of taste. Her contacts are a constant reminder that this same diversity is found in nearly every family. Therefore, each profit-filled program will touch on a variety of everyday problems.

Mrs. Lautz is no "run-of-the-mill" cook. (Continued on Page 6)

**Engineers See Movies
of Big Bridge Disaster**

About 75 engineers, members of the Rock River Valley chapter of the Illinois Society of Engineers, met last evening at the Elks club house where final plans were made for the annual joint meeting of the Illinois Society of Engineers and the National Society of Professional Engineers to be held at the Sherman hotel in Chicago, Jan. 30-31 and Feb. 1. Several members from the Rock River chapter of this city plan to attend the meeting.

After the business session the engineers enjoyed an interesting program during which Prof. Thomas C. Shedd, chief instructor in the structural engineering department of the University of Illinois spoke upon the subject of design and strength of bridge structures. His talk was followed by a talking motion picture entitled, "Thrills in the News", which showed and explained the collapse of the Tacoma Narrows bridge several months ago. After the pictures the engineers enjoyed refreshments.

**Draft Board Ruling
on Mennuhin Is Only
Temporary He Learns**

Los Gatos, Calif., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Yehudi Mennuhin, 24-year-old married violinist placed in class 1 by the local draft board, was notified today the ruling was only temporary, pending final determination.

The original decision caused widespread interest to men of draft age, since many had supposed that married men with families were to get deferred ratings for the present, regardless of whether the families had independent means of support.

**Depression Slows Up Gain in Urban
Population in Decade, Census Reveals**

Washington, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The depression slowed up America's gain in urban population, but failed to reverse the historic trend from farm to city.

Actually, the census bureau said today, the percentage of population living in urban territory increased from 56.2 in 1930 to 56.5 in 1940.

In the decade, the total population increase for the 48 states and District of Columbia was 8,894,229. Of this number, 5,468,879 were urban and 3,425,350 rural residents.

But bureau statisticians said the most significant facts were that while in the 1920-30 decade urban population increased six

times as fast as rural citizenry, in the 1930-40 decade the urban gain of 7.9 per cent barely topped the rural increase of 6.4 per cent.

"The marked decline in the rate of urban growth", they said, "is attributable in large measure to the economic conditions of the past decade".

The slowing up was attributed to a smaller farm-to-city movement, a decline in the urban birth rate, and the virtual stoppage of immigration.

In 1940 the urban population of Illinois was 5,809,650 against rural population of 2,087,591. In 1930 the urban citizens numbered 5,635,727 against 1,994,927 in the rural areas.

LOCAL WEATHER
For the 24 hours ending at 6 p. m. Friday: maximum temperature 34; minimum 32; cloudy; precipitation .49 inches (snow).

For month to date 1.89 inches.

Sun rises—Sunday at 7:19, Monday at 7:18.

Sun sets—Sunday at 5:02, Monday at 5:03.

BRITAIN'S NEED
IS WEAPONS NOT
MEN: CHURCHILLPrime Minister Calls on
U. S. for Guns, Planes
and Ships

(By The Associated Press)
Glasgow, Jan. 18.—Prime Minister Churchill has summed up Britain's 1941 war needs from the United States as guns, planes and ships—"far more than we shall be able to pay for"—rather than "large armies from overseas".

The plain-speaking prime minister, with President Roosevelt's special representative, Harry Hopkins, at his side, told the Glasgow City Councillors in an unheralded speech last night that Britain has enough fighting men to "hold the front line of civilization" with American aid in credits and supplies.

But he warned bluntly that "before us lie sufferings and tribulations" along the hard road to ultimate victory.

He introduced Roosevelt's representative and declared: "Mr. Hopkins has come in order to put himself in the closest relation with things here."

"He will soon return to report to his famous chief the impressions he has gathered in our islands. We don't require in 1941 large armies from overseas. What we do require are weapons, ships and airplanes. All that we can pay for we will pay for but we will require far more than we shall be able to pay for."

Sen. Wheeler Comments
(Senator Wheeler, a leader in Senate opposition to the President's lend-lease program for aid to Britain, said in Washington last night he had learned from "several reliable sources" that Churchill has been "insisting on a declaration of war" by the United States.

Hopkins was sent to England, Wheeler said, to learn what immediate steps could be taken "short of a war declaration".

Churchill asserted Adolf Hitler will find Britain better prepared to beat off invasion now than was the case last summer or fall. He said flatly, however, that the war in 1941 would be no less terrible than in 1940, and added:

"Before us lie many months of having to endure bombardment of our cities and industrial areas without the power to make equal reply".

Churchill told the Councillors: **Hatred for Nazi Creed**
"That bad man (Hitler) has never had so great a need as he has now to strike Britain from his path. He is master of a great part

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**Nothing Seen of
Lost Army Plane**

McChord Field, Wash., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Army planes in California and Washington searched half the length of the Pacific coast today for a twin-motored bomber, missing two days with seven men aboard.

Army officers hoped for a break in the stormy weather that forced searching planes back to their bases yesterday.

Reports came in from the region southwest of Mount Ranier of a big plane apparently seeking its bearings about the time the bomber was en route south Thursday, but Col. William H. Crom, McChord Field commanding officer, said reports along the flight route did not "seem of great value".

Among the unconfirmed reports was one that wreckage of the plane had been sighted near Yreka, Calif.

Col. Crom said there was a good chance the Douglas bomber might have flown as far as the mountainous northern California country which has "several places where a crew could remain for a long time without being discovered."

The Weather
SATURDAY, JAN. 18, 1941
(By The Associated Press)
Chicago and Vicinity: Fair and colder tonight, with lowest temperature ranging from 5 degrees near the lake to zero in western portion of the city; Sunday increasing cloudiness with slowly rising temperature; light to moderate northerly winds tonight, becoming southerly Sunday. Outlook for Monday: Partly cloudy and warmer.

Illinois: Fair, colder except extreme northwest and extreme west-central tonight; Sunday fair south, increasing cloudiness north, slowly rising temperature in afternoon.

Wisconsin: Fair, colder east tonight; Sunday cloudy with rising temperature, probably followed by light snow north and west.

Iowa: Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; not so cold west and central tonight; much warmer Sunday.

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Passenger Train Sideswipes Freight; Two Injured



Two trainmen were injured in this wreck of Chicago & Alton passenger train that sideswiped a freight train pulling into a siding near Lockport, Ill. One locomotive jumped a ditch and cars of both trains were derailed, piled up in field beside tracks. (NEA Telephoto.)

Green Orders All
Unnecessary Jobs
Taken Off Payroll

BULLETIN
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Governor Dwight H. Green's "economy" purge struck another state department today when dismissal notices were sent to 24 employees in the state Department of Registration and Education.

An announcement from Frank G. Thompson of Mt. Vernon, recently-appointed director of the department, said that "the employees have been found to be unnecessary and their places will not be filled."

Thompson said that the savings in salaries paid to the 24 employees totaled \$4,395 a month.

The eight department directors appointed by Green will meet early next week with the governor to discuss "questions of policy and other steps toward economy and efficiency in the operation of various branches of the state government", the governor's office announced.

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White House Busy
At the White House, humming with preparations for visiting Roosevelts and big crowds for luncheons Sunday and Monday, the president kept appointments to a minimum in order to finish his inaugural address. He gave no hint of its length or content.

It will be delivered after he takes the oath Monday noon on a simple platform built over the Capitol steps—where in 1933 he told a solemn gathering he would seek broad emergency powers if necessary to fight the depression.

Now the emphasis is on grave foreign and military problems, with congress debating whether to give Roosevelt new emergency authority to rush help to Britain.

Virtually the entire inaugural parade will be a sober reminder of the pre-eminent place of defense in the government's activities. There will be only three civilian units—200 green-clad CCC boys, as many marchers from the National Youth Administration, wearing red, white and blue Mackinaws, and a WPA mackinaw in working clothes.

All the rest will be military in nature—khaki-garbed infantrymen row after row of bluejackets; brightly-uniformed marines.

Military Parade
While 250 military planes roar overhead, batteries of big guns, medium and light tanks, scout cars, and motorcycles—samples of American military might—will roll along the pavement.

As each unit reaches a colonial stand built along Pennsylvania Avenue before the White House, there will be a shout of "eyes left", and Roosevelt, commander-in-chief of the army and navy, will review the marchers.

With him there, as throughout the inaugural events, will be the First Lady and the president's 87-year-old mother, Mrs. Sara Delano Roosevelt.

Another mother, Mrs. Henry C. (Continued on Page 6)

THOUSANDS WILL
SEE INAUGURAL
MONDAY MORNING

Program Complete for
Precedent-Shattering
Occasion

Washington, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The bustle of carnival crowds overshadowed somber defense preparations today in the nation's Capital, splashed with banners and bunting for the precedent-shattering third inauguration of Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Cheered by a forecast of fair—though cold—weather for Monday's ceremonies, weary officials announced everything was complete for welcoming a record throng of 250,000 or more visitors.

The last nails were driven in 40,000 seats on the Capitol Plaza and along the parade route on Pennsylvania Avenue standing room was being roped off. Late inquirers learned that a few seats for the parade still could be bought at prices up to \$10.

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Action Started to
Nullify Will of
Nels P. Johnson

Attorney James E. Bales today filed in Lee county circuit court an action to set aside the alleged last will and testament of the late Nelson P. Johnson of Amboy, Ill. Sidgrid Simpson, also known as Sidgrid Simpson is the complainant in the action, which names the following defendants: Mary A. Baker, Harvey Baker, Harvey Baker, trustee; Sven Pierson, Mrs. Hanna Hanson, Per Svenson, Nels Svenson, Jens Svenson, Anton Svenson, Hanna Svenson Olson, Ellen Svenson, Ingrid Svenson, Elizabeth Svenson, Robert Lee Baker, Gordon Roger Baker, Norman Jean Baker, and Harry Badger, executor of the last will and testament of Nels P. Johnson, deceased.

The complaint sets forth that the deceased was an uncle of the plaintiff, who allegedly made a will on May 5, 1939, and passed away March 24, 1940. At his death he owned property, real and personal of the value in excess of \$10,000, the complaint states, and in Lee County Court Harry Badger of Amboy was appointed executor of the estate.

Claims Undue Influence
The complaint charges that undue influences were exerted in the purported draft of the alleged last will and testament of the deceased. It further contends that the instrument was not the last will and testament, and that at the time of the draft of the purported will the deceased was not of sound mind and memory, was in his dotage, and was not capable of making a just and proper distribution of his estate. A number of the beneficiaries named in the purported will are residents of Sweden.

The action demands a jury trial.

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**Northern Illinois Roads
Extremely Hazardous**

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Freezing weather which followed quickly after rain and wet snow in downstate Illinois last night left highways in the northern two-thirds of the state glazed and extremely hazardous today.

The highway division reported today that temperatures varied from four to 18 degrees in the state. The thermometer reading here at 9 a. m. was ten degrees.

Despite the low temperatures, relief due to melting under the sun's rays was expected by afternoon if clear skies over central Illinois persisted. Highway division crews worked throughout the night combatting snow and ice.

**Thousand of Italy's Famous 'Wolves of
Tuscany' Captured by Grecian Warriors**

(By The Associated Press)
Athens, Greece, Jan. 18.—Capture of 1,000 soldiers of Italy's famous "Wolves of Tuscany" division was reported by the Greek high command today a short time after a Greek spokesman announced two Italian "warships" had been torpedoed in the Adriatic.

The captives were taken, the high command said, when Greek forces overwhelmed a fascist fortified position northwest of Greek-held Kisuira on the central Albanian war front. The spokesman said questioning of the prisoners disclosed they had arrived recently from Brindisi, Italy.

He identified the torpedoed Italian vessels as the Liguria and the Lombardia.

(The authoritative naval handbook, Janes Fighting Ships, does not list either vessel. Lloyd's register lists a Liguria, a 174-ton merchant ship of Italian registry, but no Lombardia. The London Daily Mail quoted the Athens radio as saying the vessels were troopships—the Liguria of 15,354 tons and the Lombardia of 20,066 tons.)

The spokesman quoted prisoners as saying many desertions occurred during the embarkation at Brindisi.

The high command identified the captured troops as members of the 77th regiment of the 7th division—"Lupi di Toscana" (Wolves of Tuscany)—commanded by Colonel Meneghetti. Many officers were among the prisoners, a communique said.

3,000 British Subjects in
France Rounded Up in
German Internment Camp

The War Today!

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

As Britain approaches her further trial by sword in the hands of Hitler—a supreme effort to crush the island kingdom itself—one gains the very definite impression that it is a new nation, with a fresh unity of purpose, which is facing the coming blitzkrieg.

The fierce struggle for survival, in which all classes of society have been thrown together for the common defense as never before, has made of the British Isles a vast melting-pot. From this is likely to emerge a new social and economic structure.

I don't mean to suggest that we are to expect a Utopia in which the duchess and the stable boy, the duke and the scullery-maid, will be dancing together with the crowd on the village green. Still, if signs read true this new social order will reflect more nearly that equality and fraternal understanding which daily is being exemplified in the shoulder-to-shoulder battle for existence.

That means a great change in England. Honesty and frankness compel acknowledgment that class distinctions, and inequality of privileges, have been great in the past. However, there are no class differences or inequality of privileges when it comes to common effort in digging for victims buried by bombing, the sharing of underground shelters, and the paring of food from humble community kitchens.

Britain has not, since her full nationhood, stood so close to death as she has during the past nine months. In that time she has learned that bombs are no respecter of persons; that privation isn't the cross of any special class; and that, in short, if a nation is to survive it must adhere to the principle of one for all and all for one.

Other nations are learning these truths in a hard way, too. I am confining my remarks to Britain because in recent days there has been striking public recognition in England of this need of a remoulding of society.

One of the first signals of this changing order came recently from Ernest Bevin. He is minister of labor.

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**Sen. Glass Favors
War Declaration**

Washington, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Senator Glass (D-Va.) said today it was his personal view that the United States should declare war on Germany now, but he added the question was one which should be determined primarily by policy experts in the state, war and navy departments.

The 83-year-old Virginian, who has criticized many administration measures but has supported President Roosevelt's foreign policy, was selected by the Democratic steering committee yesterday for membership on the foreign relations committee, which will handle the administration's aid-to-Britain legislation in the senate.

In an interview, he declared he would like to declare war on Germany at once "so far as I am personally concerned".

"But I don't know whether that would be strategically advisable", he continued. "It is a matter primarily for the experts of the state department and the army and navy."

Glass added he "would like to see Hitler at the bottom of the sea".

**Legion Conducts Test
for Pick Sen. Brooks'
Nominee to West Point**

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 18.—(AP)—An examination to determine what Illinois lad between 17 and 22 years of age will be appointed to the United States Military Academy at West Point by U. S. Senator C. Wayland Brooks was held here today.

The examination was conducted, at the request of Brooks, by the American Legion. A candidate and two alternates will be chosen. The successful trio will report at Fort Sheridan March 4 for further examination.

The vacancy occurred when a cadet appointed by former Sen. James Slattery resigned.

3,000 RECRUITS SOUGHT
Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Brig. Gen. Charles H. Bonesteel, commanding the Sixth Corps Area, said today more than 3,000 men for enlistment in the regular Army Air Corps are being sought by recruiting officers in Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. The recruits will train at Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill., and Scott Field, Belleville, Ill.

Bombers exchanged aerial blows in the night despite bad weather. German fliers set fires in a raid on docks, wharves and storehouses at Swansea, South Wales port which is a copper, tinplate and fuel center. The British government said casualties there were "not large".

RAF Attacks Ports
British warplanes attacked the ports of Brest and Cherbourg and two airdromes in occupied France. Axis shipping was bombed and machine-gunned off the Dutch coast yesterday, the British air ministry said, and four ships were hit.

Domel, Japanese news agency, in a radio account of the battle between French Indo-Chinese and Thai (Siamese) naval forces in the Gulf of Siam, quoted a Thai army bulletin as saying the French squadron, headed by the 7,249-ton cruiser Lamotte-Picquet, withdrew with some damage after a three-hour engagement.

In Rome the authoritative fascist editor, Virginia Gayda, accused American "interventionists, headed by Roosevelt", of seeking to provoke Germany and Italy into some action which would justify the United States entering the war against the axis powers.

Greeks Capture 1,000
Greece announced today the capture of 1,000 Italians of the crack "Wolves of Tuscany" division in Albania, and the torpedo-

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"Tin Pan Alley" Leaves Broadway for Fifth Avenue

Unknown eight months ago, Broadcast Music, Inc. (BMI) has become the largest publisher of music in the country and one of the most prolific producers of hit tunes. Eight of the ten numbers on last week's hit parade were BMI songs written by young American composers who had not had an opportunity before 1940 to have their songs heard by the listening public. Among the best known of these new BMI songs are, "There I Go", "So You're the One", "I Give You My Word", and the new semi-classic—"I Hear A Rhapsody".

More than 680 radio stations representing 95 percent of the total dollar volume of business on the air are the owners of BMI. These owners are representative of every phase of the radio industry. Holdings of the networks are limited to 17.1 percent of the stock and the balance is held by independent stations which range from the 346 one hundred and two hundred and fifty watt stations to 50 fifty thousand watters.

Beginning operations on February 15th with a staff of three people, BMI licensed its first music on April 1st. Since that time it has acquired the rights to more than 250,000 songs running the entire gamut from the songs that children love to sing to the most complicated of modern and classical symphonies. At the present time (January 12) BMI occupies 18,000 square feet of office space, has a payroll of 260 employees and has moved Tin Pan Alley from 46th street and Broadway to 47th street and Fifth avenue. More than 100,000 printed units of music are shipped out of the BMI production offices at 23 West 47th street every week to broadcasting stations, taverns, hotels, retail music stores and to other users or vendors of music.

Helpful to Young
The phase of BMI activity which has won the heart of the public is its willingness to examine the work of new composers regardless of the time and effort involved. More than 1000 songs were submitted one day last week. Out of this thousand BMI editors can expect to gain no more than two or three candidates for their catalog. Yet they are willing to examine them patiently, hoping to find the germ of a good idea which expert craftsmen can turn into a good popular song. Prior to the advent of BMI, song publishers refused to see unknown song writers and all manuscripts submitted by mail were returned marked "unopened". By this process, the publishers have avoided a great many suits for plagiarism and saved the cost of employing editors to examine submissions by those whose songs were unknown and unsung. As a result of this policy, BMI has found among the thousands of songs submitted, several works of outstanding merit. It was obvious that BMI would, because the very damming up of this supply of songs from the public by ASCAP publishers over a period of years, meant that the writer with exceptional talent had no opportunity to show what he could do. An excellent example of the work of BMI's editorial board is found in the current Hit Parade favorite "You Walk By", which when first

submitted had little more than that spark of freshness that spells success for a popular song. Many changes were made both in words and music and the song which you now hear on the air is regarded by orchestra leaders as one of the best of BMI tunes. In another situation, however, the song would have been rejected because song publishers are just not willing to take the time and spend the money to improve the work of the new writer. Out of more than 80,000 songs thus submitted, BMI has gleaned a catalog of some 400 popular numbers—"more fresh and interesting material" in the words of a conductor "than would ordinarily be submitted to him by a music publisher in six or seven years."

Pays Performing Rights
In addition to paying the composer the usual royalties on sheet music, on records, and on transcriptions, BMI pays performing rights. BMI is the only publisher that does pay for performance and affords the only instance in song writing where the individual writer who writes a song, gets the profit that accrues to it without the presence of a middle-man. Broadcasters believe that it is illegal for any association to arbitrarily determine what a song writer should get from his work and feel that the only way to compensate properly the song writer is to have no contract or obligation on his part except for an individual song. The creator thus receives all his song will produce in the fifty-six years of its copyright life, but the composer is not bound by any contract to write songs without specific compensation for them.

An elaborate logging system to determine compensation for radio performance has been set up at BMI offices under the supervision of Dr. Paul F. Lazarsfeld, Director of Columbia University's Radio Research department. Preliminary estimates indicate that the composers of outstanding hits will receive from BMI on radio royalties.

In its task of acquiring music and music rights from other catalogs BMI has achieved results along the following lines:

Modern Serious Music
(1) It has given special attention to the building of a catalog of modern serious music. The modern composer of classical and semi-classical music has up to now been neglected by both publisher and public. This neglect has resulted in the embitterment of those composers who wished to do something beyond popular songs, but found that they could not earn a living by devoting themselves to serious music. A plan has been put into effect whereby the composer of meritorious serious music will receive performance fees as high as \$10 per performance for standard short symphonies, and in many cases as much as \$500 and \$1000 where commissioned to write directly for the radio.

Much of the income which these composers receive from their music is in payment for works written to order. The major networks have been one of the most important and generous sources of such commissions. Music written for them now becomes available through BMI to four-fifths of the radio stations in the country. This means for the public a wider opportunity to hear the best of the new serious works which America is producing and it means increased income for the compos-

ers. Among the non-ASCAP writers who works have been commissioned by broadcasting systems are Aaron Copland, Virgil Thompson, Walter Piston, Bernard Hermann, Bernard Wagenaar, Hans Spialek, and many others.

The first important serious work commissioned by BMI itself was a dramatic poem called "More Perfect Union". It is scored for baritone soloist with mixed chorus and full symphony orchestra and was written by Paul Nordoff of the Philadelphia Conservatory.

"Hear America First"
In offering public domain music to the public, BMI is following the policy of "Hear America First" and has been pleased over the response that its new arrangements of old American favorites have received. Radio listeners are hearing "Arkansas Traveler", "O, Susannah", "Swanee River" and all the other fine old American tunes which the country learned to whistle during its pioneer days. The response, particularly in the smaller towns, has been very enthusiastic. It has been surprising how many people prefer these grand old tunes to modern swing and jazz. One reason why they haven't heard them in recent years is because the arrangements of most have become obsolete. BMI has published new arrangements in "cross-cued" form making it possible for the band or orchestra to use the same score with five pieces, with fourteen or with one hundred. The new arrangements which BMI has thus tailor-

ed to the present day taste have been so successful that the method is being copied by other publishers, praised by conductors and program directors, and recommended for the use of school bands and orchestras. BMI is now publishing every month about 175 new arrangements of standard favorites using this technique. In addition to the old American series which includes all of the non-patriotic songs there are many Gilbert and Sullivan numbers, and such well-known pieces as "Traumerei", Rachmaninoff's "Prelude In G-Minor", Grieg's "Peer Gynt Suite, Sousa's "Loyal Legion" march and many familiar songs, dances, and concert numbers.

Musical Ambassadors
Broadcast Music, Inc. has become an important factor in the campaign for closer relations and better understanding between North and South America. Through BMI the composers of music in Latin-American countries are for the first time receiving payment for the performance of their works in the United States. Although the Argentine Society of Authors and Composers has previously been affiliated with the ASCAP (American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers) and its name has been prominently featured at the head of ASCAP's list of affiliates, the Argentine composers have never received a penny from ASCAP. BMI pays these writers for the use of their music at the same rate and under the same terms

which apply to writers whose music is published by BMI itself.

As a licensing agency BMI has acquired control of the performing rights in the largest catalogue of Latin-American music ever assembled. Much of this music is published by the Peer International Corporation and is licensed to BMI through the American Performing Rights Society, Inc., which has contracts with the writers' and publishers' organizations of Argentine, Cuba, and Mexico. These three societies include practically all the popular Latin-American composers. Another important collection of music from south of the Rio Grande comes to BMI through the Edward B. Marks Music Corporation and there is more in the catalogues licensed by BMI.

This is BMI's "good neighbor" music. It is not Tin Pan Alley imitation; it is the music played and sung and danced by the people of the southern republics. It includes the works of Ernesto Lecuona, some of which have already gained wide popularity in the United States—"Andalucia", "Majaguena", "Para Vigo Me Voy". There are also the tangos and other songs of the late Carlos Gardel, the screen idol of Latin America and the more serious music of Mexico's famous Carlos Chavez.

85 NATURALIZED
Wheaton, Ill.—(AP)—A class of 85 aliens—largest single group in DuPage county's history—was naturalized by Circuit Judge Win G. Knoch.

STEWARD

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Oakland, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Levey, Mrs. Ella Shearer and Joan were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Diller.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hemenway were Sunday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown in Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bodmer and son Charles were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Bodmer of West Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Woolf were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Powell in Stratford.

G. P. Levey and Orville Byrd are working at the Allen apartment in DeKalb.

Mrs. Clarence Ewald and daughters Barbara and Nancy were shopping in Rockford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Beitel and Mrs. A. C. Rapp were calling at the Rockford hospital to see Mr. Rapp on Thursday.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. Arvid Anderson by the members of the "Happy Hour Group". An interesting program, led by Mrs. Morris, a social hour, and delicious lunch served by Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. F. W. Hewitt.

The J. M. Thompson family and Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Beitel were entertained at dinner on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Fell.

Robert Durin returned to Fort Sheridan Sunday evening after

visiting his mother at her home. Hugh and Fred Morris are confined to their home with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'Neil and Mr. and Mrs. James Stone of Chicago were calling on friends here Saturday afternoon.

The G. A. A. girls enjoyed a roller skating party at the rink in Rochelle Friday evening.

Miss Evelyn Wendell and Miss Rhoda Robinson spent Friday evening at DeKalb visiting school friends at the college.

Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Krenz of Mendota were Sunday afternoon callers at the Mrs. Emma Foster home.

The former Comer property is undergoing repairs and is being remodeled by the new owner.

A number of friends were invited to the home of Mrs. Otis Hough Monday afternoon to spend the afternoon with Mrs. Emma Foster as she expects to leave soon to make an extended visit in Decatur.

Mrs. Amos Richardson and son Jimmy and Mrs. Emma Foster were business visitors in Dixon on Saturday.

Charles Fremont Saylor who made his home for a while here with his daughter, Mrs. A. G. Gunderson and family, passed away suddenly with a heart attack at his home in Necedah, Wis. Wednesday morning, Jan. 8 at 7 o'clock. The funeral was held in the Nazarene church at Necedah, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. His body was brought to Steward by hearse Friday forenoon, accompanied by his son Gilbert. A short

service at the home of his daughter was held at 2 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. H. B. Morris. He was laid to rest by the side of his first wife in the Steward cemetery. He leaves to mourn his passing his wife, Mrs. Addie Saylor of Necedah, Wis., and two sons—Oliver of Covia, Calif., and Gilbert of Nekoosa, Wis., and Mrs. A. G. Gunderson, his daughter. A daughter, Nashie, passed away about 25 years ago. He also leaves 15 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren besides other relatives and friends. He had made his home at Necedah for the past 42 years, except the three years he lived here in Steward. He was a faithful member of the U. B. church. He would have been 82 years old Jan. 26.

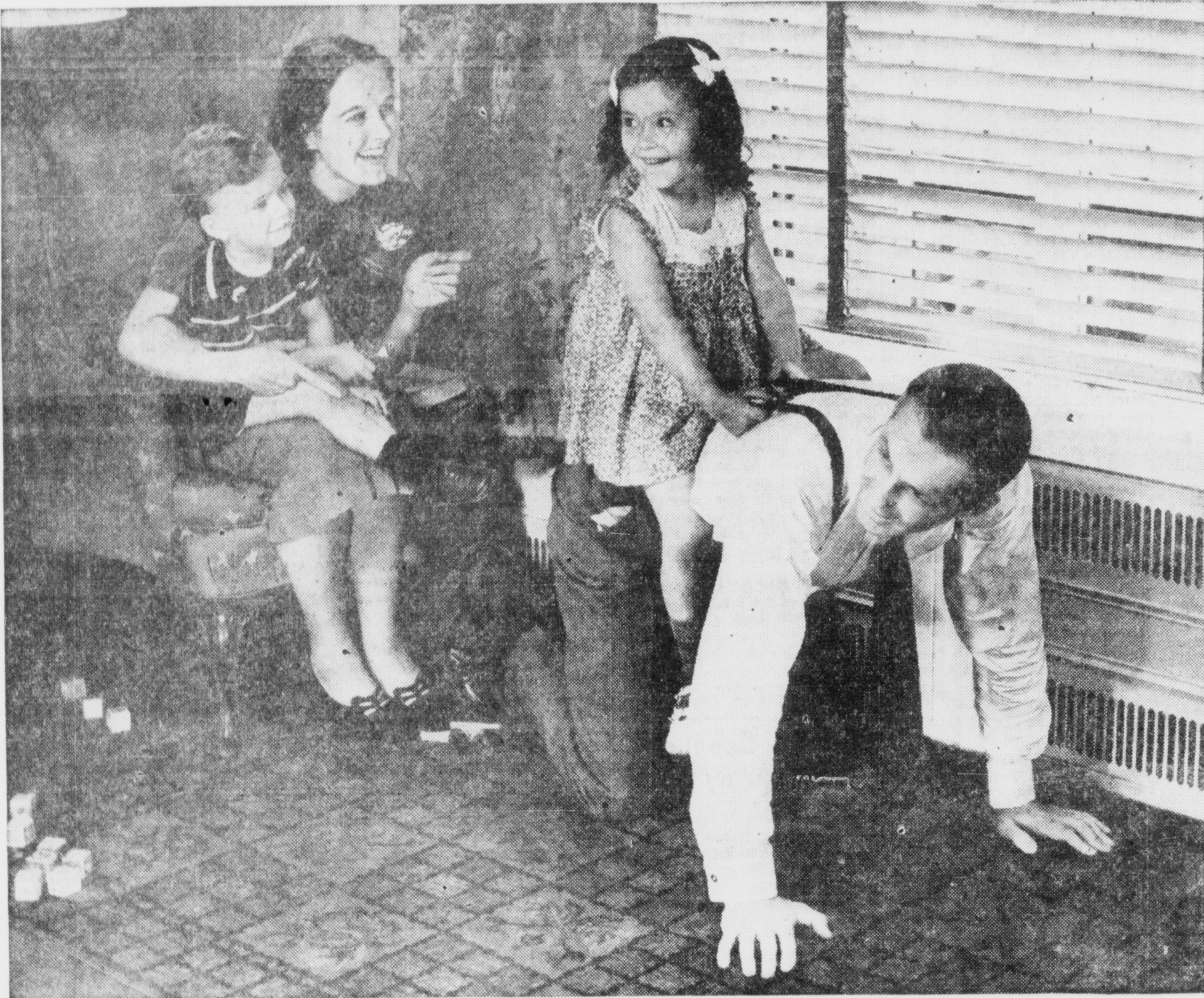
A school masters' club will be held here next Wednesday evening in the school gymnasium. Ladies of the church will serve supper.

FAN WEAPON
Looking like a common folding fan, the dagger fan really is a sheath containing a short, sharp stiletto. The deceptive weapon was invented by the Japanese.

Painting Disproved Theory
Thomas Gainsborough painted his famous "Blue Boy" to disprove the theory that blue cannot be used successfully, as a predominately color in a portrait.

A single banyan tree, in the botanical gardens of Calcutta, India, covers three acres of ground.

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Society News

MARRIAGE OF MISS RITA FORTNEY AND ROY KUHN IS NO LONGER A SECRET

Today's nuptial news reveals a wedding about which friends of the bridal pair have been unaware, that of Miss Rita Christanna Fortney of 413 East First street, assistant supervisor in surgery at Katherine Shaw Betha hospital, to Roy Kuhn of 310 Everett street, only son of Mrs. Lee Paul of Brookville. The vows were solemnized at 9 o'clock last night at the rectory of St. Patrick's Catholic church in Amboy, before the Rev. R. C. Troy.

The bride, who is the only daughter of the Ray A. Fortneys of Amoy, was attended by her aunt, Mrs. George Steder of Amboy, and Mr. Steder was Mr. Kuhn's best man.

Miss Fortney chose wine-colored accessories for her marsh rose crepe dress, roses and sweetpeas formed her shoulder corsage. Mrs. Steder was dressed in blue, with navy accessories.

When Mr. Kuhn and his bride left later last night on a brief wedding trip, the new Mrs. Kuhn was wearing a black velvet dress with white satin trim, and black accessories. They will return to Dixon to make their home, having taken an apartment at the William Kime residence, 319 Galena avenue.

Mrs. Kuhn was graduated from Amboy Township high school in 1933, and from Katherine Shaw Betha hospital training school for nurses. The bridegroom is attendant at the Bonded Service station, 319 Everett street.

MADAME SCOTT GIVES CONCERT AT STERLING

Madame Gladys Gilderoy Scott, contralto and voice instructor at Frances Shimer college at Mt. Carroll, presented a recital at the L. C. Wheeler home in Sterling, Thursday evening, as a benefit for Bundles for Britain. Her program, which attracted a large and appreciative audience, included a group of French songs and several Chinese lullabies in English.

On Tuesday evening, Jan. 28, Madame Scott will give a concert at the Loveland Community House auditorium, under sponsorship of the Dixon's Woman's club, to raise funds for British War Relief.

NACHUSA P-T. A.

Slides of the Lincoln county of Kentucky, Indiana and Illinois were shown by Miss Olive Bowman, teacher of the Garrison school, at the January meeting for the Nachusa Parent-Teacher association last evening. About 40 members were present for the program, which included group singing led by Mrs. I. B. Potter; songs, "Snow-Birds", "Safety Songs", "Play Ball", "Riding a Bicycle", and "The Railroad Track", children of the school; and the game, looby-loo.

John Weigle and George Stiles were in charge of the program and social hour.

ATTEND PLAY

Attending today's performance of the play "There Shall Be No Night" featuring Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne, at the Grand Opera House in Chicago were Mrs. Robert Warner, Mrs. John Batchelder, Mrs. Robert Shaw, and Mrs. L. E. Jacobson.

Calendar

Today
Children of St. Paul's Lutheran church—At church, 2 p. m.

Sunday
Community sing—in west lounge, Loveland Community House, 3-4 p. m.; Glenn Gibson, leader.

Monday
O. E. S. Parlor club—Desert-bridge, 2 p. m.
Dixon circle, Ladies of G. A. R.—In G. A. R. hall, 7:40 p. m.

The Dixon Forum—Will present Dr. Albert Howe Eybeyer of the University of Illinois in lecture at Loveland Community House, 8 p. m.
Nachusa Teachers' Reading circle—Mrs. Ted Seavy, hostess.

Monday Nighters—Miss Lois Chillingworth, hostess.
Tuesday
American Legion Auxiliary—Sewing and luncheon, American Legion hall.
Phidian Art club—Mrs. Winston Edwards, hostess.
Friendly Eight—Mrs. George Iles, hostess.

Dixon Travel club—At Loveland Community House, 7:30 p. m.; Assistant Postmaster Lowell Trottnow of Franklin Ave. speaker.
Behavin auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans and post—Joint installation, G. A. R. hall.

Wednesday
Palmyra Aid society—Mrs. Hattie Weisz, hostess.
American Legion Auxiliary—In G. A. R. hall, 7:30.

Cooking School Lecturer



Mrs. Emily M. Lautz

Mrs. Lautz, who is recognized from coast to coast as a food and homemaking authority, is expected to arrive in Dixon tomorrow, from Carthage, Mo., accompanied by her capable assistant, Mrs. June Metcalf.

On Monday, she will assist a corps of Dixon Evening Telegraph workers complete preparations for opening this newspaper's big four-day Cooking School at the Dixon theater on Tuesday.

Born in Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Lautz acquired her education in Cleveland and at the famous old Wooster college in Wooster, Ohio. Later, she became active in Woman's club and Parent-Teacher association affairs, and meantime, her interest in practical and professional housekeeping was increasing steadily.

Having acquired an unusual library of fine cookbooks in German, French and English, her interest in the culinary art influenced her decision in selecting the type of career to be followed after

the death of her husband. She entered the Fanny Farmer School of Cookery at Boston, adding extensive training in cookery to her practical knowledge and experience as a homemaker of years standing.

Mrs. Lautz has appeared before large audiences of women in all parts of the country. Her practical training in homemaking and adept ability to share this information with her audiences in interesting, attention-holding lectures and demonstrations, has won affectionate applause from thousands of admirers wherever she has appeared.

Mrs. Lautz, who has just completed a successful Cooking School in Carthage, already has many friends in the Dixon trade area, having conducted two previous schools for The Telegraph.

Next week's school will be in session at 1:45 p. m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Doors of the Dixon theater, 112 Galena avenue, will be open at 1 p. m. daily.

WAR MOTHERS ARE TO MEET

Lee county chapter of World War Mothers have been invited to attend a special meeting at the home of Mrs. Viola Strub, Thursday, Jan. 30. Installation ceremonies will be held for two officers, Mrs. Strub, treasurer, and Mrs. Clea Bunnell, secretary.

Due to the ice storm, only half a dozen members were able to attend Thursday's meeting at the home of Mrs. Lucy Eastman to sew for British War Relief.

Representatives of other patriotic orders who made short talks included Mrs. Marie Hetler and Mrs. Florence Ommen of Dixon circle, Ladies of the G. A. R.; Mrs. Neva Messenger, newly-elected president of Daughters of Union Veterans; Mrs. Maud Hobbs, Spanish War auxiliary; and Mrs. Ommen of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Perfume dabbed on the clothes or behind the ear will not last as long as it will if sprayed on the hair.

Carl Hill Is New President of Rural Youth

Carl Hill of Steward is the new head of the Lee County Rural Youth, having been elected to succeed Miss Rose Murtaugh of Amboy, the retiring president, at the third annual banquet of the organization Thursday evening at Amboy. Other officers named were:

Vice president, Harold Sheaffer, Dixon; secretary, Doris Whitver, Amboy; treasurer, Irvin Arne, Steward; music chairman, Frances Fanelli, Amboy; recreation chairman, Louella Hopkins of Walnut and Edward Cornils of Dixon; reporter, Ellen Lauer, Amboy.

In spite of the ice and rain storm, a large attendance turned out for the event. Women of the Lee Center Afternoon Home Bureau unit served the banquet.

Afterward, Miss Helen McIntyre led group singing. Miss Murtaugh who acted as toastmistress for the evening's program, introduced J. E. Mau, Mrs. Holly Smith and Ellis Kugler, Farm Adviser Charles Yale and Home adviser Miss Marian Symptom, who brought greetings from the extension service of the county. Each of the speakers commented on progress of the organization since its founding and reviewed its three-fold purpose of educational, social, and recreational advantages.

Reports of last year's activities were given by Marian Mau, Frances Kennedy, Luella Hopkins, Irvin Arne, and Mary Sanford. Farm and Home Week, the Young Adult Camp at East Bay, the state conference, and a week end camp at Lake Waubesa were recalled in reminiscence.

C. M. Seagraves, safety director of the Illinois Automobile Association, was the evening's speaker, and presented numerous incentives for safe driving. Statistics, Mr. Seagraves stated, show that the young driver causes almost twice as many accidents as the older person, not because of lack of ability or skill, but because of undue risk.

Retiring officers of the organization include: President, Miss Murtaugh; vice president, Arnold Butterbaugh, Dixon; secretary, Frances Fanelli, Amboy; treasurer, Luella Hopkins, Walnut; music chairman, Helen McIntyre; recreation chairman, James Colgan; reporter, Harold Sheaffer.

The February meeting is to be in the form of a box social and party, to be held at the Steward high school, Feb. 13. On Feb. 20, the group will sponsor a hobby show in the Farm Bureau auditorium.

TEACHERS' CLUG

Miss Agnes Prindaville was hostess to the Tampico-Hahnman Teachers' club Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pedersen of Tampico. Reports on the book, "The Rediscovery of Man" were given by Mrs. Ellen Miller and Miss Pearl Witmer, and Miss Prindaville conducted a quiz. Guitar and accordion selections were furnished by the Misses Betty and Juanita Pedersen.

V. F. W. and AUXILIARY CARD PARTY WEDNESDAY, JAN. 22nd

LOVELAND COMMUNITY HOUSE 8 P. M. 500 - Bridge Refreshments

MISS STELLA M. SMITH IS BRIDE OF KENNETH E. GROBE IN METHODIST CHURCH STUDY

Miss Stella M. Smith, secretary in the office of Superintendent of Schools A. H. Lancaster, became the bride of Kenneth E. Grobe, greenskeeper at Prairie View Country club near Sterling, in a simple nuptial service solemnized at 8:30 o'clock Friday evening in the study of the Dixon Methodist church. Dr. F. L. Blewfield performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wade were the couple's only attendants. Mrs. Wade is a cousin of the bridegroom.

The bride, who is the elder daughter of the Harry Smiths of South Dixon township, was dressed in soldier blue crepe. Mrs. Wade chose an all-black ensemble. Roses adorned their corsage bouquets.

An informal reception for families of the bridal pair was held at the Smith home, following the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Grobe have taken an apartment at 704 Highland avenue.

Last evening's bride was graduated from Dixon high school with the class of '31. Mr. Grobe, who is the eldest son of the Charles Grobes of Prairieville, is a member of the graduating class of '32.

Miss Esther Haines of Sterling has issued invitations for a post-nuptial shower for Mrs. Grobe, Tuesday evening, at the home of Mrs. Clarence Janssen, sister of the hostess. Mrs. Wade entertained with a variety shower for Miss Smith Monday evening, her guests numbering 17, and Mrs. Earl Pope of Palmyra avenue, was hostess at a similar party for Miss Smith Thursday evening.

NEWLYWEDS ARE HONORED WITH DANCING PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hackbarth of Dixon entertained last evening with a reception, shower and dancing party in Rosbrook hall, honoring their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Krug, (Lorraine Hackbarth).

The Krug-Hackbarth marriage was solemnized Jan. 10 in a candlelight nuptial service at the Second Lutheran church in Sterling.

Frances' Night-Hawks played for dancing. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening. About 150 guests were present from Dixon, Rochelle, Rockford, Sterling, Rock Falls, Harmon, and other nearby towns.

ELKS AUXILIARY

Members of the Elks Ladies' Auxiliary formed tables for bridge yesterday afternoon at the Elks clubhouse. Mrs. Frank Rorer and Mrs. H. F. Walder were accepting score favors at the close of play.

long-Bell LUMBER IT'S IN MANY DIXON HOMES

Interior of Vogue Shoppe Has Been Remodeled

The interior of the Vogue Shoppe on First street has just recently been remodeled throughout.

Among the many improvements in the alterations is the installation of a new CELOTEX ceiling.

Mrs. Harkins, proprietor, came to us for CELOTEX along with other building supplies.

Next time you're thinking of women's apparel, drop into the Vogue Shoppe and while you're there just notice how our supplies have been used to complete an attractive remodeling job.

Winter's the Time for an Inside Check-Up!

Are't there some changes you'd like to see made to the inside of your home? Well, now during the winter months when you aren't so busy is a good time to make them. Few houses ever seem to have enough closets, shelves and storage space, and even if they do, there is always the need of rearranging and remodeling to fit your own special requirements. We have all kinds of plain and fancy millwork, lumber, paint, etc., ideal for this type of work, and the low cost will make you wonder why you've been ignoring these jobs for so long. Phone 57... ask us for price information and advice in planning today.

Someone Listened to Our "Protection for Pigs" Story

Apparently someone listened to our story about being concerned with protection for pigs last week. Carl Blum came in and got some galvanized roofing for his hog houses the other day. You'll profit, too, if you follow his example and fix up your hog's living quarters so that the newly born can have the protective home they deserve. Think it over and then come to us for the necessary supplies.

FORENSIC JUDGE

Miss Georgia Peterman of Franklin Grove, senior speech major at Eureka college in Eureka, Ill., was chosen to act as judge at the ninth annual debate tournament held last week end at Illinois State Normal university at Normal, Ill. More than 30 universities and colleges from Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Wisconsin and Missouri participated in the tournament.

Four teams from Eureka college were entered in the tournament. Lloyd Lovell of Polo was a member of one of the teams.

PAUL HORST GO SOUTH ON WEDDING TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wagner of Leaf River are making known the marriage of their daughter, Mildred, to Paul Horst, son of the Junior George Horsts of Mt. Morris, at 2 p. m. Sunday, Jan. 12, at the Wagner home. The Rev. Mr. Pittman of Polo, who heard the wedding vows of the bride's parents on Jan. 12, 1911, performed the ceremony.

Nuptial music was furnished by Luella Ruter. Miss Helen Wagner was her sister's only attendant, and Francis Provant was best man.

Following the ceremony, Mr. Horst and his bride left on a southern wedding trip. Those attending the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wagner and Clark Rowe of Byron, Mr. and Mrs. George Horst of Mt. Morris, and guests from Rockford, Lanark, and Leaf River.

TRAVEL CLUB PLANS PROGRAM

Denver, Washington, D. C., Alexandria, Pike's Peak, and the Brookfield zoo will be included on the evening's itinerary, when members of the Dixon Travel club meet in the council room at the Loveland Community House, Tuesday evening, Lowell Trottnow, assistant postmaster of Franklin Grove, is to be the guest speaker, and has promised to include colored moving pictures on his program.

Mrs. Forrest Trautwein and Miss Geraldine Lewis are to be co-hostesses.

Son of Former Dixon Woman Weds in West

Some time in February, a December bridal pair—Mr. and Mrs. John William Vaughn of Denver, Colo.—will be setting out on a belated wedding trip to Chicago and New York. Mr. Vaughn, who is a son of Mrs. Catherine (Tague) Vaughn of Beverly Hills, Ill., formerly of Dixon, and his bride, the former Miss Catherine Ann McKenzie, were married Saturday morning, Dec. 28 at St. Philomena's church in Denver.

The Rev. William Higgins performed the ceremony. Baskets of pink and white flowers, together with palms and candelabra, were used at the altar.

The bride, who was given in marriage by James Philpott, a friend of the family, wore a smart pastel blue wool costume suit, with navy accessories, and a brown orchid corsage. Miss Jean McKenzie, her sister's only attendant, chose gold wool and crepe with brown accessories and a brown orchid corsage. Paul Fox of Colorado Springs was best man.

Following a wedding breakfast at the Cosmopolitan hotel, the couple left on a short motor trip. They are making their home in Denver.

The bridegroom's mother accompanied her son-in-law and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. William Cronin of New York, to Denver for the ceremony. Mr. Vaughn is well known in Dixon, having visited here with his uncle and aunt, William Tague and Mrs. Charles Duis, on several occasions.

INTEREST GROUP PLANS MEETING

A newspaper interest group, newly-formed for senior Girl Scouts, will hold its first meeting at 7 o'clock Thursday evening at the Loveland Community House. Mrs. E. M. Greene, Miss Mary Louise Smith, and Miss Dorothy Butts will be in charge.

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MATTER OF AGE The difference between a bachelor and a married man is that when a bachelor walks the floor with a baby, he's dancing.

THERE'S A DIFFERENCE "How are you this evening honey?"

"All right, but lonely." "Good and lovely." "No, just lonely." "I'll be right over."

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Famous "Round Barn" to Have New Tin Roof

The "round barn" on the Kershner Farm, R. 2, south of Dixon, often called the "farm with the round barn," is going to have a bright shiny tin roof one of these days soon.

Wayne Parker, attendant, was in the other day and purchased the necessary supplies. We're certain that the roof will not slight the fame that comes from the barn's unusual construction.

Dementtown Tavern to Be in New Location

The High Life Tavern, 703 Depot avenue, will soon be located in the site recently vacated by the Byron LaFever Grocery, 701 Depot avenue.

J. Leo Curran, owner, is doing extensive remodeling at the new location and expects to be situated there soon.

As Mr. LaFever did, when he recently remodeled a new location for his grocery, Mr. Curran came to us for building supplies.

We don't know whether they get together as to the best place to come for building supplies, but we're sure they both know of the quality of our materials.

Swartz Farm to Have New Tin Roofing

Mr. C. E. Swartz was in the other day and got some tin roofing for his farm.

Look things over a bit. Maybe you could use some on your place, too. If this is true, come in and see us or phone 57... You'll be satisfied with the product and our service.

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GEORGE WASHINGTON SAID:

"Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another cause those whom they actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to veil and even second the arts of influence on the other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues of the favorite are liable to become suspected and odious, while its tools and dupes usurp the applause and confidence of the people to surrender their interests." From the Farewell Address.

Steady Does It

Hysteria accomplishes nothing. The United States, deep in its urgent rush toward defensive armament, needs grim determination and relentless energy. There is no time for groundless rumors and thin-air generalizations.

Everybody knows that the danger of sabotage is great; that there are some who would stop at nothing to halt or hamper arms production. The tightest precautions must be taken against this at every point.

But there is no good in seeing foreign agents behind every bush, either. For instance, the nation was shocked by the Kenil, N. J., explosion Sept. 12, in which 51 workers were killed. Wise ones nodded sagely and whispered "alien sabotage."

Now after three months' investigation, the explosion is not known, it is convinced that sabotage was not involved. It is one more case in which it would have been wise to suspend judgment until there is something on which to base that judgment.

In the Midst of War, Peace

In the very heart of Italy, the tiny Republic of San Marino with its 38 square miles and its 15,000 souls basks in the Apennines at peace with all the world.

Not quite all the world, though. San Marino is technically at war with Germany. That's because it overlooked the formality of making peace after the World War. But San Marino wants the world to know that, though surrounding Italy is at war with Great Britain, San Marino isn't. Its army of 39 officers and 950 men is snug in San Marino, and not on the snow-slopes of Greece or the sands of Egypt.

If you're going to be a small country in today's world, the moral seems, "be so small they don't even notice you."

SERIAL STORY

CONSCRIPT'S WIFE

BY BETTY WALLACE

YESTERDAY, Martha finds Bill is actually enjoying his conscription service. He has changed. His restlessness is gone, replaced by a feeling of silent power. They go to reception quarters to get Bill a pass. A whole afternoon and evening, together, is ahead of them.

DATE FOR A PARTY

CHAPTER XII

IT had been a glorious day—this first day with Bill since the train bore him away from her, into the army.

"But it slipped away so fast!" she was wailing, there on the dark road as the car sped back toward the camp. "We hardly had a minute!"

"Mrs. Marshall, you have been monopolizing me for exactly 11 hours, 15 minutes—"

"So you've been counting the minutes until you could get away from me!"

"Counting the minutes, all right," he admitted, with a new glumness in his tone. "Counting them and wishing there was a way to stretch 'em out!"

She cuddled against him more closely. "We're minutes, yet!" She added, "Five minutes, Cinderella and the golden coach that turned back into a pumpkin. I forget where Prince Charming came in, at that point, but my Prince gets turned back into a buck private at the stroke of 10."

His arms tightened. "It's hard to take, honey. I only wish you could come up every Sunday." It was much too far, and it cost too much. They both knew it. "Any-way, this one round trip may result in our owing Paul a new clutch. You always play the dickens with the clutch."

"I don't think these new cars have clutches. No shift, so what would they need with a clutch?"

They were just talking. Talking to cover the ache of parting. "I shouldn't have let you stay this late. It's a long drive at night."

"I'll be home by midnight."

"No, you won't. And don't speed, please, darling."

"Time's up now, Bill." She lifted her face for a last kiss. As Bill got out of the car, Butch, who had been sleeping on the floor, woke up and growled his protest. Bill patted his head. "Sorry, old man. That's the way it is in the Army."

"It's been wonderful, seeing you, Bill."

Bill straightened his shoulders. "Tell Paul I said thanks. And listen, woman! Tell him I also said not to take too good care of you!"

For a moment, her heart

Defense Is the Issue

Most important of the issues now before Congress is that of national defense. With the exception of federal solvency, everything else can stand as is, and wait.

The current debate between President Roosevelt and Senator Burton K. Wheeler of Montana is extraneous. It is incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial, as a lawyer might say.

National defense needs can be estimated best by experts in the military art. Admirals and generals should be consulted, but first they should be assured of retirement pay in case they say something displeasing to those who now have power to remove them, or who might have that power within the next few years. Experts in both the army and navy know the strength of potential enemies of the United States. They know what they need to make this continent safe from assault. That is the first task of any defensive preparation. The next would be to plan such offensive measures as would enable us to serve reprisals upon those who might attempt unfair restrictions against us abroad. Our strength is in our own arms. It is pleasant to know that the British, with their navy, are friendly today. But to lean upon an outside power is unsafe unless we can be assured that such a power would be friendly in future years.

Yesterday France, upon which England relied in part, was a supposedly strong ally. Today France is a broken reed with an impotent navy. England today has a conservative government friendly toward the United States. Tomorrow England will have a different government even if Britain wins the war. Only a few years ago we heard continually of the friendly relations between Japan and the United States. Today there is danger of war. Yesterday Russia and France were bound together by a mutual defense alliance. Today France is crushed and Russia is trading with Germany. Yesterday Germany had a republic and a parliament, and had standing enough to obtain loans from the United States and England. Today Germany has a Hitler. We must not base our entire defense upon England unless we are able to control the future governments of England. Governments change in sentiment even if they may not change in form. Chamberlain, the "appeaser," gave way to Churchill the fighter. Blum, the communist, gave way to a French conservative dictator, who in turn surrendered to a fascist sympathizer. Always there is action and reaction.

A Robespierre is supplanted by a Napoleon. The "citizen" was supplanted by an emperor. Czar Nicholas was assassinated by the people who enthroned Stalin. The British in the War of 1812 burned down our white house. Today they are "defending" us by engaging our potentially-active enemy.

What of tomorrow? We are safe only behind our own land and sea defenses. While the admirals and generals should be heard rallying the people to a realistic national defense system, the air rings with denunciations of men who are neither admirals nor generals. In event of a Nazi victory over England, the British fleet may be turned over to the United States—but the French fleet wasn't even turned over to England.

Congress has the power to discuss national defense with military experts, and it has the power to put expert advice into practice.

Those who really mean all aid to England short of war should specifically say: No convoying. No American ships in war zones.—Alf M. Landon, former G. O. P. presidential candidate.

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News Behind THE NEWS

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Washington, Jan. 17.—Verbal reports from London reveal that damage done to British docks in major ports has been devastating. The big landing piers in Southampton and Plymouth have been completely destroyed by constant German hammering. London's dock region has, of course, been unusable for many months. Recent German assaults on Merseyside have wrought similar havoc around Liverpool.

The British censors have prevented any conception of this serious setback from getting out to the world, but it amounts to a very important factor in the battle. Not enough docks are available to land foodstuffs and other materials swiftly and substitutes cannot be constructed. Makeshift docking facilities are being provided as rapidly as possible, but the Germans are always coming back.

This may have been one of the situations which War Secretary Stimson had in mind when he kept repeating before the house foreign affairs committee that one of the big points of the lend-lease bill was its power authorizing control of the distribution of the planes prepared for Britain. He said pointedly:

"Conditions change from time to time."

Obviously he had in mind the possibility of the collapse of England, which would require other distribution of the materials they are ordering.

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CORN BELT LOOKS TO PROSPEROUS ERA IN FUTURE

AAA Urges Midwest to Increase Production Of Hogs, Cattle

Washington, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Agricultural adjustment Administration officials are urging midwestern farmers to increase production of hogs and cattle for slaughter.

The defense program, they say, will make a moderate expansion advisable. Increased needs can be supplied, they say, without placing any strain on existing production facilities and without seriously disrupting present systems of farming in the corn belt.

Officials are cautioning against "over-expansion," because later, when activities in connection with the defense program slacken and the war ends, the situation may be wholly different.

The big problem in the midwest officials explain, is that of adjusting corn production to requirements. Despite the fact acreage of corn in 1940 in the five principal corn belt states was 22 per cent below the 1928-32 average, huge surpluses have been accumulated.

No Need for Feed

Because of these surpluses, there will be no need, officials say, to increase production to provide feed for anticipated increases in livestock numbers. Officials are concerned lest many farmers increase corn production because of a mounting demand for pork and beef.

"It is clear," a department report says, "that even with the prospective increases in the demand for livestock and livestock products, that farmers should not plan any sustained increase in the acreage of corn during the next five years."

"Instead, farmers who have not adjusted their corn acreage to a soil-conserving crop system should take advantage of a period of favorable prices to build up a reserve in the soil for a period of lower prices which may lie beyond the present period of war and the national defense program."

Officials believe that beyond 1932 it probably will be necessary gradually to reduce hog production to keep pork prices in line with those of beef and other substitutable products.

They also say that corn-belt farmers should be cautious about making large outlays for beef cattle breeding stock at currently high prices, although they may find it profitable to retain larger breeding herds than formerly to utilize large supplies of roughage grown as part of a soil conservation program.

Other Recommendations

Other recommendations for the corn belt include:

With the export outlook continuing unfavorable, wheat acreage should not be increased.

Further expansion in acreages of soybeans should be discouraged. Officials believe that current acreages probably can be maintained without materially depressing soybean prices. Farmers are urged to consider the "soil-depleting" and "soil-eroding" effects of this crop.

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Obituaries

MRS. JULIUS C. WILLIAMS (Contributed)

Janette Morgan began her earthly life January 24th, 1852, in Vesta, Broome county, New York and after a short illness at her home in Dixon where she had lived for thirty years, she entered her Eternal Dwelling Place, Sunday night, January 12th, 1941, having lived almost 89 years.

She was the first child of Thomas B. and Diadama DeWitt Morgan and when fourteen years of age, came with her parents and three younger children to Illinois, where they located on a farm in Palmyra township, Lee county.

On July 4th, 1872, she was married to Julius C. Williams, a son of another pioneer family who had settled in Palmyra twelve years earlier. They were neighbors, living about a mile apart. Here on the George Williams homestead, Mr. and Mrs. Jule Williams spent the first thirty-four years of their married life.

From 1906 to 1910 they resided in Artesian, South Dakota. They then returned to Dixon and purchased the present home at 319 Sixth street, where Mr. Williams died in 1936.

The deceased was the mother of seven children, two of whom died in infancy. The surviving children are a son, John L. Williams of Parkston, South Dakota and four daughters, Mrs. Ella Phillips, who has lived with her mother during the past nine years, Mrs. Marie Joyce of Dixon, Mrs. George Bennett of Mitchell, South Dakota, and Mrs. Stanley Treudt of Granville, Illinois. Eleven grandchildren and three great grandchildren also survive.

Other near relatives are a sister, Miss Callie B. Morgan of Dixon, a niece, Mrs. Maude Eicholtz of Dixon and a nephew, DeWitt Morgan of Palmyra.

All of the children were present, together with many other relatives and friends at the funeral services conducted at the home last Thursday afternoon by Dr. Floyd L. Blewfield, pastor of the First Methodist church.

Mrs. Williams was a member of the Dixon Methodist church for fifty-three years, having joined with a group of fifty-two others on the closing Sunday of the Rev. Martin E. Cady's pastorate, September 25th, 1887.

She was ever a loyal member and when unable to attend the services of her church during these later years, she enjoyed the radio ministry of sermon and song.

"It is only a wonderful journey from an old world into a new. Where golden gates have opened wide.

To let our loved one through.

And there, with just the same glad smile,

And the heart we cherished so, Our dear one waits until we meet In the land where loved ones go."

Donald Vaile, D H S Student, on Honor Roll

Donald Vaile, Dixon high school senior, will be one of the three high school students whose names are scheduled to be added to the "Citizens of Tomorrow" Roll of Honor next Tuesday, January 21, in a broadcast from 4:30 to 5 p. m. (CST) over station WGN, Chicago.

The "Citizens of Tomorrow" program is dedicated to the youth of America and sponsored by the Chicago Tribune. Each Tuesday 600 students of one of the high schools in the Chicago area are guests in the WGN main audience studio and the program is built around the history and achievements of that school.

Donald Vaile's selection for a place on the Roll of Honor establishes him as one of the outstanding high school students of the middle west. The other two additions to the Roll of Honor this week are Jane Strohm, Indianapolis, Ind. and Wallace McLain of Hillsdale, Mich.

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"Now don't let me sleep a wink after 8 o'clock, Sarge—at home I'm always up with the chickens!"

Years Ago

(From Dixon Telegraph)

39 YEARS AGO

Five new rural routes are reported to be laid out to be added to the present two, making a total of seven operating soon.

Fourteen fine fat turkeys were stolen from ex-shepherd Gray's barn just west of Dixon Thursday night.

At the Nachusa hall this evening John Byers and A. G. Harris will debate on the subject, "Resolved, That the Senators should be Elected by the Popular Vote".

25 YEARS AGO

The third floor of the Schuler building will house the temporary telephone office and a switchboard will arrive in a few days to be installed.

The winter meeting of the northern diocese of the Deany of Chicago will be held in St. Luke's Episcopal church Jan. 25 and 26.

Mrs. Peter Hoyle sustained two fractured ribs in a fall at her home in South Dixon.

10 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Mary Carney, well known Dixon lady, passed away today at the home of her son, Dr. Ross Carney at Davenport, Iowa.

John Padgett, service station attendant, early this morning became the victim of the second holdup in two weeks when two armed youths secured \$15.

Hog thieves who have been active in Lee county, were reported to have visited the Lester Reed farm near Lee Center last night taking two heavy hogs.

Do You Know?

Q. What criminal offenses are exempt by the Illinois Constitution of indictment of a grand jury?

A. When the punishment is by fine, or imprisonment otherwise than in the penitentiary in cases arising in the army and navy, or in the militia when in actual service in time of war or public danger.

Q. What are the restrictions on bail in the Illinois Constitution?

A. No person shall be imprisoned by sufficient sureties, except for capital offenses where proof is evident or the presumption great.

Q. What does the Illinois Constitution provide as to the abolition of the grand jury?

A. That the grand jury may be abolished by law in all cases.

Q. What provision does the Illinois Constitution make with regard to a person testifying against himself?

A. No person shall be compelled in any criminal case to give evidence against himself or be twice placed in jeopardy for the same offense.

Q. What is the provision of the Illinois Constitution concerning imprisonment for debt?

A. No person shall be imprisoned for debt unless on refusal to deliver up his estate for the benefit of his creditors, in such manner as shall be prescribed by law, or in cases where there is strong presumption of fraud.

Q. What provision is made by the Illinois Constitution regarding private property taken by or damaged for public use?

A. Just compensation must be

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Fanfare

By DON DANIELSON

SUPPORT THE BENEFIT BASKETBALL GAMES

Tickets are now on sale for the two feature basketball games which will be played here next Friday night to raise money for the fight against infantile paralysis. This worthy cause deserves your support and in exchange you will see two fine ball games: Dixon Knacks vs. Oglesby and the Dixon State Hospital vs. Walz Lunch of Sterling.

PREPARES FOR LEATHERPUSHING SERIES

Linto Guerrier, international boxing champion of a Golden Gloves tournament a few seasons ago, was in Dixon yesterday arranging entries for the Sterling preliminaries to the Golden Gloves which open Wednesday night at the Coliseum. Linto, a Rock Falls fighter, is aiding the Sterling post of the American Legion in sponsoring the event and was in Dixon arranging judges for the tournament.

HOLDS SCORING LEAD

Louis Bevilacqua has lost his wide margin this week in the individual scoring in the Rock Falls Senior Basketball league, although he still leads by a few points over Fairfax and Abbott and set new records in individual scoring in one game. However, Bevilacqua was handicapped in that his team played only a practice game, and so the points made did not count on his record. To date he leads with 93 tallies over Fairfax with 85 and H. Abbott with 83.

GAMES TONIGHT

There's a bit of week end activity for the neighborhood cage teams tonight with Leaf River of the Route 72 conference meeting Mt. Morris of the Rock River circuit on the latter's court. Rochelle, also of the Rock River loop, meets Belvidere, last night's foe of Dixon on the Boone county floor and Oregon goes to East Rockford.

ON MAGAZINE COVER

A picture of Belvidere's beautiful new auditorium-gymnasium where the Dukes will play on February 21, appears on the cover of "Scholastic Coach," a monthly periodical published during the academic year for high school mentors. The building, opened last season, was built at a cost of \$143,000 and seats 1,600 for sports events.

BAD WEATHER POSTPONES MATCH

Belvidere bowlers called the Dixon Recreation yesterday to cancel the matches scheduled for here last night. Due to a bad snow storm and poor driving visibility, the Boone county team asked for a release.

MATCH GAMES TOMORROW

Dixon keglers will engage in several feature matches tomorrow. At the Dixon Recreation the Keeley's Beer team of this city will roll West Brooklyn at 2:30 o'clock. At 7:30 p. m. the Rochelle Ladies meet the Dixon Ladies and the Rochelle men roll a team of local pin-men. The Dixon Recreation All-Stars will roll at Sublette tomorrow at 4 o'clock. At Ottawa in two night matches (7:30) the Dixon Recreation meets the Ottawa quintet and the Dixon Recreation Ladies meet a team of Ottawa lassies.

CHIT-CHAT

In a short sideline conversation before the game last night, Coach William Craig of Belvidere, commented, "Well, we aren't winning a lot of games, but we're having a lot of fun."

GROVERS ORGANIZE VOLLEY BALL LEAGUE

A recent organization meeting was held at Franklin Grove where Wilbur Breuninger was elected president of the league which opens play on Monday night. Harlan Cluts was named secretary-treasurer. Team captains are: Walter Gehrt, Guy Willard, Carl Sunday, Everette Johnson, Leslie Henry and Scott Stultz.

EAST RABS UPSET LA SALLE-PERU

Coach Jim Laude's East Rockford team will be the Duke's foe here next Saturday night in the second meeting of the two teams. Last night the Eastern Rabs won a share in the Big Eight conference lead by defeating LaSalle-Peru, pre-game favorite, 20 to 15. The LaSalle hosts won the sophomore game 38 to 31. Over at West High in Rockford the Freeport varsity won a 29 to 19 decision.

KNACKS TO MOLINE TOMORROW

The Dixon Knacks, will go to Moline tomorrow afternoon to engage the Turners of that city in a special basketball feature. The Moline hosts are one of the best cage teams in the tri-city area. The locals will leave the Elks club here at 12:15 p. m.

ASHTON NEEDS AN EXTRA PERIOD TO DEFEAT STEWARD

The 13th victory of the undefeated season nearly proved a flinx to the Ashton Acres at Steward last night where it took an overtime period before they came through with a 39 to 33 victory. A field goal by Ed Calhoun and one Lawrence Calhoun and a bucket and two free throws by Jenkins gave the visitors their triumph in the extra period. Ashton scored an 11 to 5 lead in the first period, but Steward came in fast with 13 points to Ashton's nine in the second period. The Aces, however, held their lead at the half, 20 to 18. Each team scored eight points in the third frame with Steward counting five points to the Aces' three in the end of the game to knot the score at 31-all.

Anderson of Steward scored the Steward bucket in the extra period.

The Ashton reserves won the preliminary game, 30 to 23.

Box score:

Ashton (39) Overtime	
E. Calhoun, f.	6 0 0 13
L. Calhoun, f.	6 0 0 12
W. Kersten, c.	3 1 0 7
Jenkins, g.	2 2 0 6
L. Kersten, g.	0 1 0 1
Totals	17 5 8 39
Steward (33)	
Rapp, f.	4 0 1 8
Anderson, f.	4 0 3 8
C. Kerke, c.	0 0 2 6
Cole, g.	4 1 3 9
Lighty, g.	0 0 0 0
Kirby, g.	2 2 4 6
Totals	15 3 13 33

DIXON STATE HOSPITAL TEAM DEFEATS SUBLETTE, 47 TO 37

The Dixon state hospital basketball team defeated Sublette, 47 to 37, here last night to even the series with the rivals. The third and rubber game will be played here on Tuesday night. In last night's game the Dixon team scored an 8 to 3 lead in the opening frame, but Sublette came back to knot the score at 26-all at the half. Each team counted 10 points in the third period to maintain the deadlock and it wasn't until the hospital team broke lose with 21 counters in the final period to 11 by the visitors, that they were able to triumph.

High scorer of the game was Edmondson of Dixon with 14 points while Horsley counted 13. Malach led the Sublette five with 10 tallies.

The Dixon hospital quintet will

Mounders Defeat Rock Falls For First Loop Win

Mt. Morris' road of misfortune came to a halt on the home floor last night as the Mounders won their first Rock River conference game by dumping Rock Falls, 33 to 28.

The visiting Rockets scored an 8 to 4 lead in the opening period and maintained the lead to the halftime, 13 to 12. The Mounders tied the score at 22-all at the end of the third period and went ahead to win with 11 points to the visitors' six in the final period.

Leading scorer of the game was Hunsberger of the Rockets who scored six field goals and three free throws for 15 points. Shoemaker led the winners with 11 counters.

Rockets won the lightweight game, 38 to 17.

Box score:

Mt. Morris (33)	
Shoemaker, g.	5 1 0 11
Hardesty, f.	0 1 0 1
Leonard, f.	3 2 0 8
Wynn, c.	0 1 2 1
Merriman, g.	4 1 3 9
Hyland, g.	0 0 1 0
B. Coffman, g.	1 1 0 3
Totals	13 7 6 33
Rock Falls (28)	
Hunsberger, f.	6 3 0 15
Kyger, f.	1 0 1 2
McMurry, f.	0 0 0 0
Lawton, f.	0 0 0 0
George, c.	1 0 2 2
Higgins, c.	1 1 3 0
Edeus, g.	2 2 2 6
Barnhart, g.	0 0 1 0
Totals	11 6 9 28

Score by Quarters

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Rock Falls	8	5	9	6	28

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Box score:

State Hospital (47)	
Fraser, f.	4 0 0 8
Horsley, f.	6 1 1 13
Edmondson, c.	7 0 0 14
C. Smith, g.	1 0 0 2
Roberson, g.	0 1 2 2
Pfeiffer, g.	1 0 2 2
McPherson, g.	3 0 0 6
Mossey, g.	0 0 0 0
Totals	23 1 4 47
Sublette (37)	
White, f.	3 0 2 6
Loving, f.	0 0 1 0
Malach, f.	5 0 1 10
McKeown, c.	4 1 1 9
George, c.	2 1 0 5
Stephens, g.	3 1 0 7
Glaser, g.	3 1 0 7
Totals	17 3 4 37

Score by Quarters

Sublette	3	13	10	11	37
State Hospital	8	8	10	21	47

SUNNYBROOK FIVE TAKES SECOND IN BOWLING LEAGUE

Dixon Cafe Team is Still Leading in Friday Loop

Sunnybrook's bowling quintet babbled right along last night instead of freezing over in the cold temperature and they flooded the Dick's Tavern team to win three games and moved into second place in the standings of the Major League.

Dixon Cafe lost two games to Blatz but maintained its lead by a one-game margin.

In winning three games the Sunnybrook five was paced by Shawger with a 511 series and Mattivi led the losers with 456.

In winning two games from the leaders, the Blatz quintet had the advantage of a big handicap and Koepke was the leading pin-spiller for the winners with a 485 count. Wolfe rolled 585 for the losers.

Kelly's Team Wins

Kelly's Budweisers won two games from the Chateaux Local as Jones counted 531 for the winners and Jeanguenat scored 548 for the losers.

Dixon Paint, now in third place in the league, won two games from the Freeman Shoe team with Daschbach counting 534 to lead the brushmen and Long rolling 514 for the shoemen.

There were no records broken last night; high games included those of: Long 207; Daschbach 214; Jeanguenat 200; Jones 228; Detweiler 201; Wolfe 200.

MAJOR LEAGUE

	W	L
Dixon Cafe	35	22
Sunnybrook	34	23
Dixon Paint	33	24
Blatz Beer	30	26
Freeman Shoe Co.	30	27
Chateaux Local	24	33
Dicks Tavern	22	35
Kellys Budweisers	19	38

Team Records

High team series	1082
High team game	3083

Individual Records

High Ind. series—Worley ...		646
Dick's Tavern		
Mattivi ...	155	146 155—456
Finn	111	159 147—417
Katzwinkle	114	104 141—359
Lenihan ...	134	128 125—387
Treadwell .	102	106 152—360
	191	191 191—573

Total	807	834	811	2552
Sunnybrook				
Smith	147	183	148	478
Shawger	140	172	199	511

McCardle ..	139	132	167—	438
Dwyre	178	138	174—	490
Klein	173	164	159—	496
	81	81	81—	243

Total	858	870	928	2656
	Blatz	Beer		
Kopeck	184	145	156	485
Wolfe	125	121	129	375

Held	129	121	128	378
Maloney	109	113	161	383
James	124	173	124	421
Miller	136	151	133	420
	212	212	212	636

Total	...	890	915	915—2726
Dixon Cafe				
Senneff	...	147	129	125—401

Bishop	161	147	137—	445
Detweiler . .	201	172	139—	512
Wolfe	200	166	219—	585
Worley	185	186	159—	530
	88	86	86—	260

	66	66	66	198
Total	960	866	845	2671
Chauffeurs Local				
Lessner	174	148	170	492

Jeanguenat	170	178	200—	548
Bubrick . . .	152	135	124—	411
Allen	123	135	166—	424
McCardle .	170	146	131—	447

	118	118	118—	354
Total	907	860	909—	2676
Kelly's Budwelsers				
	151	152	228—	531

Jones	151	152	228—	531
A. Fluehr	181	139	151—	471
Finn	119	162	159—	440
D. Fluehr	131	134	181—	446
Michels	165	123	146—	434

Total	898	861	1016	2775
Freeman Shoes				

Cramer ...	112	121	130—	363
Kuhn	150	114	132—	396
Fago	126	127	131—	384
Hart	119	135	136—	390
Total	517	507	559—	1583

Long	148	207	139—	554
	185	185	185—	555
Total	840	889	873—	2602
Dixon Paint				

Wilbur	158	192	148—	498
Schertner ..	128	164	160—	452
Johnson ..	160	174	191—	525
Van Doren	143	190	169—	502

Daschbach .	158	162	214—	534
	91	75	75—	241
Total	838	957	957—	2752

DIXON FRESHMEN DEFEAT
HARMON HERE LAST NIGHT

Dixon's freshman basketball team, coached by Fridolf Lundholm, defeated the Harmon quintet.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Chicago Livestock
Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Salable hogs 500; total 9,500; non-salable steady; few loads and lots good to choice 220-260 lbs. 8.25-9.40; medium to good light lights and pigs 8.75-9.50; shippers look for holiday 300 compared with 250; 75-100 higher; medium weight butchers, late top 8.60 compared with 7.75 week ago.
Sizable cattle 100; calves none; and choice steers and yearlings steady to 25 lower; but 50-75 under week's high time; common kinds well below Wednesday's runaway trade, but still 25-50 lower; late last week closing trade dull at uneven downturn which fell hardest on steers recently bringing 12.00-14.00; largely fat steer run bulk going at 9.75-13.75; but late going 14.50; but extreme top 15.50, with best long yearlings at 13.55 and light yearlings 14.90; medium grade steers down to 9.00 at close; heifers and cows strong to 25 higher; week's advance having been largely erased; hulla steady to weak; yearlings 50-75 higher; practical top fat heifers 12.75; light above 11.25; cutter cows closed at 6.25 down and heavy sausage bulk at 8.00 down, choice heavy hulla bringing 11.00-14.00, mostly 13.50.
Salable sheep none; total 2,000; late Friday; fat lambs slow, steady to strong; load lots fed westerns 100 lbs down 10.50-10.65; most good and choice grades 10.60-10.65 with latter price top freely compared Friday last week fat lambs 30-40 higher other classes 25-50 up; extreme top fat lambs 10.85; closing limit 10.65 freely; week's bulk to choice fed westerns 104 lbs down 10.55-10.65; mostly 10.60-10.65 late, 10.85 lb weights 10.25; medium to good fed lambs mostly 9.75-10.25; few throwout natives 8.50-9.50; good to choice fall short fed lambs 10.00-10.10; deck recently shorn 9.00; good to choice fed yearlings up to 100 lbs 9.00-9.10; common to choice slaughter ewes 4.00-6.00; few medium to good feeding and shorn lambs 9.50-9.75; choice absent; feeder yearlings 8.25.
Unofficial estimated receipts for Monday: hogs 28,000; cattle 15,000; sheep 9,000; hogs for next week 110,000.

Chicago Produce
Chicago, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Potatoes 122 on track 385; total US shipments 658; supplies heavy; demand light; northern stock all varieties slightly weaker; offerings other sections dull; old stock sacked per cwt Idaho russet bulkheads US 1.40-1.55; Nebraska bliss triumphs US 1.40-1.50; Minnesota and North Dakota cobbles 75 per cent or more US 1.32-1.62; early Ohio 80 per cent US 1.100; hula 90-127; new stock Florida bushel crate bliss triumphs US 1.60-1.65 per crate.
Butter receipts 739,757; firm; market unchanged; 7,369; weaker; first graded extra firsts 18 1/2; firsts 17 1/2; current receipts 17; dirties 15; other prices unchanged.

U. S. Bonds Close
(By The Associated Press)
Treas 38 55-51 12 1/2.

Wall Street Close
Johns-Man 61; Kennecott Cop 34 1/2; Kresge (SS) 25 1/2; Kroger Gro 29 1/2; Lib-O-F Glass 40 1/2; Liggett & My B 94 1/2; Mack Trucks 31; Marshall Field 13 1/2; Montgomery Ward 37 1/2; Nat Biscuit 7 1/2; Nat Cash Reg 13 1/2; Nat Dairy Pr 13 1/2; NY Cen RR 14 1/2; No Am Avia 16 1/2; North Am Co 16 1/2; Owens-Ill Gl 45 1/2; Penney (JC) 83 1/2; Penn RR 23 1/2; Phillips Pet 37 1/2; Pub Svc NJ 28 1/2; Pullman 26 1/2; Repub Steel 20 1/2; Reynolds Tob B 33 1/2; Sears Roe 77; Shell Union Oil 11 1/2; Stand Oil Cal 19 1/2; Stand Oil Ind 26 1/2; Stand Oil NJ 31; Stewart-Warn 8; Studebaker Corp 7 1/2; Swift & Co 22 1/2; Texas Corp 37 1/2; Texas Col 10 1/2; White Mtr 16 1/2; Wilson & Co 5; Woolworth (FW) 32; Yellow Tr & Coach 15 1/2; Youngst Sh & T 39.

War Today

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ter of labor, leader of the Labor party, and secretary of the great Transport & General Workers Union. His admirers often speak of him as a future prime minister.
In a public address Bevin stated that his war aim is social security.
"That doesn't mean that all profit and surplus must be wiped out," he said, "but it means that the whole economic life should be devoted to giving security. Not to the small middle class, but to the community as a whole."
"It is better to leave the masses untaught than to give them a double appetite, both of stomach and of head, and then not satisfy either. Things can never be as they were. The old age has passed. A new age has to be built."
Thus spoke the laboring man. And shortly after came the aristocrat—Premier Winston Churchill, through whose veins runs the bluest blood in Britain. In a speech at the ancient and exclusive public (we call it private in America) school of Harrow, Churchill said:
"When this war is won, as it surely will be, it must be one of our aims to establish a state of society where the advantages and privileges which hitherto have been enjoyed by only the few shall be far more widely shared by the men and youth of the nation as a whole."
To get the full significance of such a statement you must know your England. The great public schools like Harrow and Eton have represented the last word in aristocracy. It has been harder (if not impossible) for a plebian to get into one of these schools than for the camel to pass through the needle's eye.
When I first went to England twenty-five years ago, public

Adequate Help

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mans will take it like the British are taking it".
Calls Speed Essential
Stinson, who preceded Knox before the committee, repeated time after time his contention that quick passage of the legislation was necessary to United States defense plans.
"I cannot state too emphatically," he said, "the apprehension I feel as to the possibility of a crisis, which I think even my friends on the right (waving toward the Republicans) would recognize as a crisis, within the next 60 or at most 90 days."
Knox agreed with this statement, adding that it was speculation based on his information that the "pressure" upon Great Britain was growing "greater and greater".
Answering the questions of committee members, Knox declared at one point that "if England is completely destroyed, we will be attacked".
Knox said, in response to questions about provisions of the legislation which would permit the President to lease or lend warships, that "I've never seen any man more devoted to the best interests of the Navy than Franklin D. Roosevelt".
"The last thing I can conceive of is that he would give away the navy," the secretary declared.
Outside the committee, Senator Gillette (D-Ia.) said in a radio speech that if he believed Great Britain "actually was fighting our war" he would vote for a declaration of war tomorrow and would want to "go to her assistance with all our power, men and resources".
"If we are to gamble the entire resources of the United States on a throw of the dice based on the argument, 'This is our war'," he said, "the American people are entitled to complete facts and proof beyond doubt that this great gamble is now essential".
Senator Brynes (D-S.C.) also speaking over the radio, (called for passage of the lend-lease bill and said that "if Britain can hold Hitler for a year, we can hold him forever".

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PUBLICATION NOTICE
State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss.
I, the Clerk of Court, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the original as filed in my office.
Levi Mehlbrecht
vs.
Mary Leva et al
In Equity
Gen. No. 2177
Notice is hereby given you Nellie Miller, Myrtle Noltenmeier, Jennie Noltenmeier, Emil Bauer, Ervin Bauer, Walter Bauer, Edward Bauer and Floyd Bauer that suit entitled as above has been commenced and is now pending against you and other persons wherein plaintiff seeks partition of certain real estate described as the South Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-one, Township Thirty-seven, North Range One, East of the Third Principal Meridian, Lee County, Illinois among the persons beneficially interested therein and for other relief.
And you are further notified that unless on or before February 17, 1941, you shall appear and defend in said suit, default judgment may be entered against you on the day following or thereafter.
E. S. Rosencrans
Clerk of the above named Court.
Fremont M. Kaufman
108 East First Street
Dixon, Illinois
Attorney for plaintiff.
Jan. 18-25-Feb. 1, 1941

Terse News

Licensed to Wed Here—
A marriage license has been issued by County Clerk Sterling Schrock to Kenneth E. Grobe of Palmyra township and Miss Stella M. Smith of South Dixon township.

No Business For Council—
Members of the Dixon city council assembled in regular weekly session last evening, listened to the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, then adjourned, there being no business of importance to be presented.

New Park Commissioner—
Former County Superintendent of Schools L. W. Miller has been named by the other members of the Dixon park commission, as successor to Capt. Gus Wimpfinger of Co. A. 129th Infantry, I. N. G. who has resigned as commissioner because of his call to service with the armed forces of the United States.

Suffers Minor Injuries—
Kenneth Beers, 410 East Eighth street, suffered minor injuries in an automobile accident about 2:30 yesterday afternoon at the intersection of North Galena avenue and McKenney street. He was driving south on North Galena avenue and as he neared the intersection his car began skidding. The machine swerved across the street, climbed the curb and crashed into a fire hydrant, which was snapped off. The car then crashed into a transmission line pole which was also broken off. The front end of the car was considerably damaged.

Fathers-Sons Banquet—
The advance ticket sale for the Elks' father and son banquet to be held at the club house Wednesday evening, Jan. 22, indicates a large attendance. Chairman Victor Eichler announced this morning, Robert E. Lee of the F. B. L. is to be the guest speaker of the evening and will relate some of the closed cases which have been solved by the G-men. He will also outline the qualifications required in becoming associated with this important branch of federal service. Many of the Dixon Elks will adopt sons for the evening and tickets are to be reserved in advance by contacting Victor Eichler or Elmer Jones.

GOP Leaders In Session—
Several members of the executive committee of the Lee County Republican central committee met last evening at the office of Chairman H. C. Warner to classify applications for state jobs which have been filed, and to make recommendations. The entire county Republican organization has been called to meet Monday at the court house to choose delegates and alternates to the district convention at Freeport on Feb. 3, when a Republican candidate for Circuit judge to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Judge Harry Edwards will be selected. Senator George C. Dixon of this city is an aspirant for this honor.

Action Started

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In Circuit court, the appointment of a guardian to represent the minor heirs and that the instrument purporting to be the last will and testament be set aside and declared null and void.

3,000 British

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ing of two Italian ships in the Adriatic sea.
An report from Switzerland said Premier Mussolini might see Adolf Hitler today or tomorrow—presumably to ask more aid for his battered Albanian and Libyan forces, or to hear of German plans to negotiate peace with Greece.
Prime Minister Churchill declared in a speech last night in Glasgow that Britain did not require "large armies from overseas" in 1941, but did need "far more" ships, airplanes and supplies from America than she could pay for.

BASKETBALL SCORES

Last Night's College Results
(By The Associated Press)
California 42; University of California at Los Angeles 32.
Oregon 41; Oregon State 31.
Stanford 43; Southern California 37.
Denver 52; Colorado 33.
Kansas State 35; Nebraska 32.
Southern Methodist 39; Texas 55.
Rice 52; Baylor 32.
Tulane 48; Mississippi 23.
Georgia 50; Vanderbilt 44.
Arkansas 68; Texas A. and M. 33.
Long Island 60; John Marshall 33.
DePaul 52; St. Joseph's (Philadelphia) 50 (overtime).
River Falls Teachers 62; LaCrosse Teachers 40.
West Virginia 47; Cincinnati 43.
Western Reserve 46; Case 42.
Miami (O.) 40; Western (Mich.) State 37.
Western (Ky.) Teachers 50; Louisville 24.
Georgetown (Ky.) 46; Union (Ky.) 44.
Beloit 35; University of Mexico 26.

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THE APPEAL TO FEAR

About 44,000,000 Americans have become of age since World War No. 1 ended in 1918. Few of them have had occasion to study the propaganda that sent American soldiers abroad in 1917-1918. Those who were of age at the time have also forgotten much. Twenty-two years is a long time.
Propaganda has reached new heights of effectiveness, but it is as old as war itself. In 1870 Bismarck deliberately altered a telegram so that the Prussians thought their king and the French thought their ambassador, had been insulted. This made both nations mad and set them at each other's throats which was just what Bismarck wanted.
In 1898 President William McKinley asked Congress to declare war on Spain. But he concealed from Congress and the country the text of the latest Spanish note which promised the independence of Cuba. And a good many thousand Americans died of bullets, tropical fever and canned horse.
When that war was over a commission of naval and army officers investigated the blowing up of the Maine. Not a single officer was convinced that the Spanish government had had anything to do with the explosion. However, it gave us an emotional jag, a small war, and the Philippines.
The plain people who do the dying never hear the truth about war propaganda until the archives are opened to the historians. And so "in peace the sons bury their fathers in war, the fathers bury their sons".
Then there is the propaganda of perfectly sincere people who believe what their own minds conjure. They fear their fears.
Although there is no case in history of a nation conquering across an ocean another nation of anywhere nearly equal strength, the fears of conquest of this country from overseas is as old as timid souls have been in our midst. The Milquetoast family tree is ancient.
In 1807 Fisher Ames dipped his pen into the future and far as human eye could see wrote, "Great Britain is fighting our battles, and France is combating for the power to enslave and plunder us and all the world". France that time. During the Civil War, in violation of the Monroe Doctrine, France tried to conquer Mexico.
In 1808 United States Senator Pickens got the heebie-jeebies and rushed into print with "Napoleon is the most ruthless tyrant that has scourged the European world since the Roman Empire fell. Suppose the British navy were destroyed and France triumphed over Great Britain. To the other titles of Bonaparte would then be added that of Emperor of the Two Americas".

Green Orders

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ors has informed him of any plans to make immediate wholesale dismissals.

Britain's Need

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of Europe. His armies can move almost wherever they will upon the continent. He holds down eight or ten countries by force, by secret police, and by still more odious local quislings".
He said this occupation of countries, to which "presently perhaps Italy" may be added, was building a "hatred for the Nazi creed and for the German name which generations and perhaps centuries hardly will efface".

Church News

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
I. O. O. F. Hall, Galena and Second.
Helen C. Peters, pastor.
9:45 Sunday, Bible school.
11:00 Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor.
The "Adopted" sisters, who were in revival here last year, will give a musical program at the Loveland Community House next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all. No admission. The program will consist of vocal and instrumental numbers.
Wet matches usually will light if rubbed through the hair several times before striking.
The human body has more than 500 muscles and they comprise one-half the body's weight.
Members of congress in 1939 mailed franked matter consisting of 35,867,074 pieces.

Housewives Will

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mill" lecturer. Her informal talks sparkle with originality, vitality and winning friendliness. She joys in answering questions clearly and helpfully, and as a result, listeners seek her advice on everything from apple pie to vitamins. Often these class questions bring out important points that have troubled a majority of the women assembled in the homemakers forum.
Homemakers in the Dixon trade area are invited to jot down perplexing problems now, and bring them to next week's Cooking Club. Bring notebooks and pencils, too, to capture the flow of useful ideas and tested suggestions. Bring neighbors and bring the hope of carrying home some of the many valuable awards, which are stirring excited speculation.
Each session will furnish free recipe sheets, market bags bulging with interesting products, demonstration dishes watched in preparation in the modern kitchen, and surprise awards.
Don't fail to reap the benefits of this hospitable school, which opens a big four-day session on Tuesday afternoon in the Dixon theater.

Lodges

R. A. M.—All Royal Arch Masons are cordially invited to attend the school of instruction for Northern Illinois to be held at the Dixon Masonic Temple, Monday, Jan. 20, 9:30 a. m. through Wednesday, Jan. 22. All grand officers will be present. A banquet will be held Tuesday evening at 6:30, for which reservations must be made not later than Monday, Jan. 21, by calling K1360. A reception to the grand officers will follow the banquet, at 7:30 p. m.

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National Defense Program Restores Peace in St. Louis

St. Louis, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The national defense program has all but restored peace on the St. Louis labor front.
For the first time in several years the two major labor unions here are not involved in a single major dispute.
The main reason seems to be the men are working.
The city, an important industrial center which has received about 2 per cent of all the defense contracts let to date, was the scene of some bitter labor uprisings during the past decade.
There were strikes by the dozers, pickets, hunger marches, shutdowns, shootings, fist fights and beatings.
But it's all quiet and peaceful now.
William M. Brandt, secretary of the AFL central trades and labor union representing between 80,000 and 100,000 AFL workers, both skilled and unskilled, said: "All our people are working, and the employment figures in the last three months have been better than those at any time during the last 10 years."
The central trades union membership includes about half of the building trades workers in this area and all the big building trades unions except the bricklayers.
High officials of the opposition CIO industrial union council likewise commented that the outlook was "very bright."
Sufficient Skilled Workers
Despite the "boom" activities springing from the defense program, however, leaders of both factions warned outsiders there are sufficient skilled workers here.
Included among the major construction projects in this area are the new \$10,000,000 plant of the Curtiss-Wright Airplane Co.; an \$8,000,000 arms manufacturing plant, the government's new \$14,000,000 TNT plant in St. Charles county, 25 miles west of the city; enlargement of Jefferson barracks army post as an air corps ground training station at a cost of \$970,000; new \$2,352,000 plant for the Monsanto Chemical Company at East St. Louis; \$12,500,000 reconstruction job at Scott Field, Ill.
Local labor also is benefited by the scores of contracts being awarded St. Louis manufacturers and industrial concerns.
These include such lines as shoes, boots and leggings, clothing, tent and sleeping equipment, oil and fuel, soldiers' mess outfits, drugs, hats and caps, bedding hardware, chemicals ammunition and tools.

Thousands Will

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Wallace of Des Moines, Iowa, is expected to see her son, Henry A. Wallace, take the oath as vice president.
In a special box near the platform will be diplomats of more than 50 nations.
In front of the platform, spilling over the broad Plaza, will be plain American citizens, come to shout acclaim to the executives of their choice.

IN EXCELLENT HEALTH

Washington, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The physical condition of President Roosevelt, as he faces four more years in the White House, was described today as "the best in many years".
Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, the President's personal physician and the Navy's Surgeon General, said "eight years as chief executive have done nothing to him but make him eight years older".
"One of the grand things about him", McIntire said in an interview, "is that he can relax. Of course, when things blew up in Europe and his telephone was ringing at all hours, no one could relax."
"But in the main, he has the ability to put his troubles aside when he shouldn't carry them with him".
McIntire twice a year gives Roosevelt a complete checking over.

Strike Called in Ryan

Plane Plant for Tuesday
San Diego, Calif., Jan. 18.—(AP)—A strike of CIO United Automobile Workers at the Ryan Aeronautical Company will go into effect Tuesday if federal conciliation efforts in the interval fail, union representatives said Friday.
The strike call was issued last night by Richard T. Frankenstein, chief CIO negotiator after a meeting with company officials had left the issue of wages still unsettled.
Frankenstein said a new company offer, which Ryan spokesmen declared contained final concessions, was not acceptable to the union. Terms of the latest offer were not disclosed, but were understood to represent an increase over the company's previous offer of a minimum scale ranging from 50 to 58 cents an hour.

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Armstrong Beaten to Oblivion by Zivic Last Night

By GALE TALBOT
New York, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The career of one of the greatest little fighters the ring has seen came to an abrupt and bloody end last night when they guided Henry Armstrong's uncertain feet down the steps from Madison Square Garden ring for the last time.
A crowd of more than 23,000, the biggest ever to jam its way into the Eight avenue arena for a boxing match, fittingly was on hand to stand and cheer the little negro as he groped his way, nearly blinded, to the dressing room and fistic oblivion.
Henry went out as world have been expected—fighting. Fritz Zivic, the welterweight champion from Pittsburgh, gave him a savage beating, closing his eyes and cutting his face into hamburger. Henry's attempt to win back one of his three titles he once held was hopeless from the start. But Referee Arthur Donovan still had to tell him when he was licked.
Merciful End
The end came, mercifully, after 52 seconds of fighting in the 12th round, when Donovan, hearkening to the roar of "stop it!" from the crowd, took Armstrong protectively and led the little fighter to his corner.
Just before, Henry had supplied a last thrill for his followers. At the start of the 11th, Donovan looked carefully at Henry's battered features and told him: "One more round, Henry." From somewhere Armstrong summoned the strength to go out and slug Zivic, all over the ring and to win the round—his second of the battle. Donovan must have felt that this deserved an encore, for he let Armstrong grope his way out once again. He saw quickly that this was a mistake, that Henry had shot his bolt in that final heroic attempt to stop Zivic.
Dr. Alexander Schiff, who examined Armstrong after the fight, said the cuts around the negro's eyes would not endanger his sight. He washed out the cuts and will sew them today. One stitch also was taken in a cut inside the mouth.
Announces Retirement
After his wounds had been dressed and the boys were let in to see him, Armstrong announced through swollen lips his retirement. He is comparatively well off, with an annuity of nearly \$75,000.
In an adjoining cubicle Zivic sat, his face unmarked, and said it was a comparatively easy victory—easier than his first over Armstrong last October. Henry hurt him only once, he said with a right to the body in an early round.
Some thought Zivic was less than brilliant in slashing Henry into his final defeat, and said that the negro in his prime would have taken the youngest of the Zivic apart. That might have been true. But Zivic, for the night and the particular job, was almost the perfect workman.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Byron McCracken were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Yocum and family at Washington Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller and family were Sunday guests in the home of her brother, Henry Smith and family in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sandrock and son Kenneth were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sacks, south of Ashton.

Rev. and Mrs. Ralph M. Dreger motored to Winthrop Harbor Thursday where Rev. Dreger conducted the funeral services of a former parishioner.

The Presbyterian Aid society will meet January 23 with Mrs. W. Spratt, assisting her will be Mrs. Clarence Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hartzell and son Melvin attended the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jacob in Ashton Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kersten, a son, at the Dixon hospital, January 14th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kessler, a daughter, at the Dixon hospital January 13.

Circle No. 2 of the Methodist church has been postponed until next Thursday Jan. 23, with Mrs. Ed Edwards, Mrs. Elizabeth Sunday assisting.

Farewell Party

A farewell party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith Tuesday evening in honor of LeRoy Warrenfeltz who expect to leave soon with other young men who have been called in the draft. A delicious chicken supper with all the trimmings was served. The evening was spent in playing games. Those present were: LeRoy Warrenfeltz, Leslie Henry, John Bellaza, Ed Gatz, Melvin Kinney, Russell Group, William Fuller and Scott Smith.

Cribbage Club

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gross entertained the cribbage club at their home Wednesday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gross, John Vogt and sister, Mrs. Emma Duffield, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crawford, C. E. Kelley, Doris Buck, Douglas Stultz. The men played cribbage and the ladies cards.

Oyster Supper

Postmaster and Mrs. C. E. Kelley entertained with an oyster supper Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatch, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bettendorf. After supper the evening was spent in playing cards.

Social Evening

A social evening was enjoyed Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Blocher by the Berean and Faithful Workers classes of the Church of the Brethren Sunday school. Rev. O. D. Buck is the teacher of the Berean class which is composed of men, and Mrs. Clifford Blocher, the teacher of the Faithful Workers, which is composed of women. The evening was spent in games of various kinds and social visiting.

W. S. C. S. Market

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church will have a market Saturday, January 25 in the Kelley store. The market will take the place of the regular January supper. The committee plan to have a good supply of baked food and meats, dressed chicken and other good things.

Social Gathering

The Ladies Aid society of the Lutheran church sponsored a social gathering for the entire congregation on Tuesday evening at the Kersten gymnasium. Over fifty members and friends were present to enjoy the most delicious roast beef dinner at 6:30. The evening was spent in playing games and contests provided by the entertainment committee. Individual prize winners were John McDivitt, Mrs. Henry Wendel, Mrs. Charles Brill, Mrs. Albert Bettine, Miss Cora Schafer, Roy Wendell, Oscar Nass, Edward Underwood, Henry Wendel, Mrs. Herman Schafer, Mrs. Henry Schafer, Henry Schafer and Adam Wendel.

Kilo Club

The Kilo Club will meet Tuesday afternoon, January 21st with Mrs. Vera Gross. Roll call, "Believe it or Not". Reading, "Richard Halburton" by Mrs. Carrie Mong. A good attendance is desired.

Died Here

Henry Oesterheld, aged 86, a resident of Ashton for over sixty years died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emma Spangler on Tuesday afternoon after a short illness with pneumonia. He has been making his home with his daughter since Christmas. Funeral services were held in Ashton Friday afternoon.

To Be Married

Friends here have received the invitation from Reverend and Mrs. Niels Esbensen requesting the honor of your presence at the mar-

riage of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth to the Reverend David H. Studebaker, on Sunday, January, the twenty-sixth at four o'clock, Church of the Brethren at Emprie, Calif. Reception at grammar school cafeteria. The bridegroom-to-be is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Paul Studebaker, former residents of this place. "Dave" as he is known to everyone graduated from the local high school and was a very popular young man. He, accompanied by his parents, moved to Modesto, Cal. about two years ago. All his friends are extending hearty congratulations and best wishes.

Obituary

Erasmus H. Kearns, son of Sarah and John Kearns was born April 17, 1888 near Woodstock, Virginia and passed away Jan. 11, 1941 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Yocum of Amboy, at the age of 52 years, 8 months and 24 days.

On Feb. 8, 1888 he was united in marriage to Mary Vileta Williams of Goodland, Ind. who preceded him in death, June 29, 1938.

He is survived by his five children: Wilbur of Clinton, Iowa; Mrs. Grace Berry of Sterling, Ill.; Mrs. Clarence Yocum of Amboy; John and Charles of Oregon and a brother, Ezra Kearns of Kiowa, Kans. Also nineteen grandchildren and three great grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Kearns celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, Feb. 8, 1938.

Most of his life was spent in the vicinity of Lighthouse and Oregon, where he was a faithful employee of the condensory for about fifteen years, later moving to Franklin Grove.

He was a conscientious Christian, always kind, and considerate of others.

He was a faithful member of the Lighthouse Methodist church, later transferring his letter to the Oregon Methodist church.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Hicks funeral home and later at the Lighthouse church, Rev. Ralph M. Dreger had charge of the services. Misses June Hatch and Marie Black sang, accompanied by Mrs. Black.

Burial was in the Lighthouse cemetery. Casket bearers were: John Myers, Joe Ling, J. T. Gilbert, Clarence Miller, James Hay, and Thomas King.

Random Shots

One feature of next week's P-T. A. box social will be several numbers by a special saxophone quintet. Mrs. James Conlon, Mrs. Ruth Kelley, Wilbur Zoeller, Russell Group and N. A. Fox will comprise the group. The instrumentation will include two alto saxes, a tenor, a baritone and a soprano saxophone.

The wood working spray room is now complete. The equipment includes a compressor, spray gun, turntable, lights and an exhaust fan.

Three members of the Typing I class have already fulfilled the speed requirement for a full year's course. Those people are Bernice Burhenn, Lois Hullah, and Vivian Miller.

Brethren Church

S. L. Cover, Pastor
Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. The subject is "Christ Invites Men" and is found in Luke 14:15-24. And you are invited to be present to enjoy the Bible lesson.

Worship and sermon at 10:30. The regular morning sermon will be a sermon to the children and young people. It's subject is "The Promises of God". There will be special music. We invite you to be present whether you are one of the children or older.

The school of missions is held each Sunday evening at 7 o'clock followed by a short sermon at 7:45. The sermon subject for the evening is, "A Hero of the Cross". Choir practice Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies Aid Wednesday all day at the church basement.

Methodist Church

Sunday, Jan. 19, Dr. Horace G. Smith, president of Garrett Biblical Institute will be the guest preacher in the Methodist pulpit. The church school lesson is "The Slighted Invitation". Unified service, 9:30 to 11 A. M.

Sunday afternoon church school workers will journey to Rock Falls Methodist church for a meeting with the conference director of Religious education, the Rev. R. W. Miller, the time 2:30 to 4:30 P. M.

Young people of the sub-district will gather for a great rally at Dixon Sunday afternoon, from 4:00 to 8:30 P. M. Recreation, singing of group songs, supper-time activities, discussion groups, and an inspirational youth meeting in the evening will be the program for the rally.

Monday evening, Jan. 20, the quarterly conference will meet at the church. Members of the boards of stewards and trustees are requested to be present.

Wednesday at 3:45 P. M. the Junior League will meet continuing the very interesting unit of study "Through the Bible".

Lutheran Church

Sunday school 1:30.
Preaching service 2:30.
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Golden Rule Class

The Golden Rule class of the Baptist church will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. C. T. Smith on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Full and daughter Peggy spent Friday morning in Amboy.

B. H. T. Circle

The B. H. T. circle of the Baptist church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Arthur Garth.

Baby Ill

The five weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clarke is quite ill at the hospital suffering with pneumonia.

Military Rites for Raymond Gale

Military rites were accorded Raymond H. Gale, member of Company A Dixon National Guard unit by members of that unit when he was buried at Temperance Hill cemetery on Thursday afternoon. Rev. Adam Baum, pastor of the First Baptist church, Amboy conducted the services which were held at 2 o'clock at the church.

Raymond Henry Gale was born in Amboy, Jan. 27, 1922 and died at 3:45 P. M. Monday, Jan. 13, 1940 in the Amboy public hospital. He spent his entire life in this community and was graduated from the Amboy Township high school with the class of 1939. He was a member of the First Baptist church. Recently he had been employed by the National Youth Administration. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Gale.

Deputy Coroner Paul F. Sodergren of Dixon conducted an inquest into the cause of Mr. Gale's death at the Vaughan funeral chapel in Amboy Monday evening.

Testimony given by his parents at the inquest showed that the young man had been despondent recently because of unhappiness in a love affair. Mrs. Gale testified that she believed her son shot himself about 1 o'clock Monday afternoon when he returned home after an unsuccessful attempt to affect a reconciliation with his former fiancee. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of "death from a gunshot wound, self-inflicted with suicidal intent". Several aunts and uncles also are left to mourn the loss.

HARMON

Mrs. Fred Powers, Reporter
Phone 17-11

Home Bureau Meets

Miss Lenore Kofod opened her new home to members the Home Bureau on Tuesday with an all day meeting and delicious scramble dinner at noon.

Thirteen members and one guest, Mrs. Will Edson, offered "Good Health Suggestions" for roll call. The major lesson on "Pie Crust and Fillings" was given by the local leader, Mrs. Will Deitz and Mrs. Alvin Behrendt. The business meeting was in charge of the chairman, Mrs. Ellis Kugler. The program was in charge of Mrs. Lewis Bontz and games were led by Mrs. Ellis Kugler. The meeting adjourned to meet in February with Mrs. Alf Clatworthy, assisted by Mrs. Melvin Johnson.

Attend American Legion

Emmitt Drew, David Butler and Ben Jeablang attended the American Legion stag party in Amboy on Thursday evening.

Births

A son, born January 13th to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Apple at the Dixon hospital.

A son, born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hermes at the Dixon public hospital.

Joins C. C. C.

Harold Schaefer entered the CCC camp on Friday and in company with several other young men was sent to Gays Mills, Wis. to join the 1604th company.

To California

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Considine will leave on Sunday for California to spend the remainder of the winter. While there they will visit their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Considine and infant daughter, whom they have not seen yet.

Local Briefs

Mrs. Peter Winkle had the misfortune to fall and break her hip bone but is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gartner and Mr. and Mrs. Matt Grennan, Jr. of Sterling attended the cafeteria supper in the Catholic hall here on Wednesday evening.

Frank Smallwood, Dixon Telegraph carrier, attended the dinner and party, sponsored by the Telegraph in the new Loveland Community House in Dixon Monday evening.

Professor Lehman and Miss Josephine Bevilacqua, teachers in

the high school here are confined to their homes by illness.

R. A. Malach was a business caller in Sublette on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Kate Petri and Annette McManus of Sterling were callers Sunday at the home of Mrs. Theresa Petri and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bisbee of Memphis, Tenn., spent Sunday with the latter's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Metz.

Monday evening the regular meeting of the Merchant PTA was held at the school house, Dale Gloden, president, called the meeting to order with community singing of God Bless America and Let Me Call You Sweetheart. Following the business meeting Edward Mau, chairman of the program committee was successful in obtaining a talking picture and it was very much enjoyed by all present. The Martinson Bros. favored with several musical numbers. The program and refreshments were in charge of the gentlemen and delicious refreshments were enjoyed.

Methodist Church

Plan to attend the Young People's Rally at the Dixon Methodist church next Sunday afternoon and evening beginning at 4:00 p. m. January 19. Each person attending should bring sandwiches and cookies. Dr. Horace Greeley Smith, president of Garrett Biblical Institute will give the main address at 7:30 p. m. The Reverend Ralph Kofod and the Reverend Ralph Dreger are in charge of the program.

Teachers and officers in the Sunday school and members of the local church board of education will attend the meeting at the Rock Falls Methodist church next Sunday afternoon, January 19, between three and five o'clock.

The Reverend R. W. Miller, conference director of religious education, will lead discussion on problems of the Sunday school. Thirty people enjoyed the colored slides entitled "Alcohol in the New Age" which were shown at the church last Sunday evening. Asa Moore operated the projector. Gilbert Lehman led the singing of several hymns. Recreation in the basement and potluck lunch followed.

Sixty new Methodist hymnals by Easter is the aim of the music committee. Hymn books may be given in memory of loved ones. An ornamental plate bearing the name of the giver of each book will be placed in the front cover. The Women's Society of Christian Service will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Albert Allen. Mrs. Lynn Parker is in charge of a program devoted to health. Good Will bags should be left at the church.

The sermon topic for next Sunday is "The Healing Spirit of Jesus".

Colored lantern slides will again be shown at the church on the evening of January 26. You are welcome.

Stratford News

Several of our people have been suffering from bad colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rice were supper guests in the Fred Zumdahl home in Mt. Morris Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Poffenberger and Emerson were visiting in Adeline Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hays and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Powell attended the wedding of Everett Sheeley and Dorothy French Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hays and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Powell attended a party in the Joe Powell home in Polo Saturday night. Mrs. Harold Hays won high score at cards.

Helen Chinnouth is the latest victim of the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Little of Flagg Center and Mrs. Ruth Tilton of Chana visited Mrs. Bennett Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Chinnouth spent Thursday and Friday in the Harley Travis home during Mrs. Travis' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones and two sons of Oregon visited Mrs. Bennett and Arlene Saturday night.

Mrs. Maud Sheeley spent Monday afternoon in the Burt Chinnouth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hays called on Mrs. Della Powell in Polo Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ainsworth of Forreston spent Sunday afternoon in the Poffenberger home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coffman of Polo visited Mrs. Rhene Deter on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Borland and daughter Florence of Adeline were supper guests in the Poffenberger home.

Mrs. Harold Hays was a dinner guest of Mrs. Margaret Artz in Polo Wednesday and attended the farmers' institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kerchner and little Linda Lee visited Mrs. Bennett and Arlene Sunday afternoon.

Guests in the Bryant Hays home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Woolf and Patsy of Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kerchner and baby of Rochelle, Mr. and Mrs. Max Hays and Mrs. Lena Bennett and Arlene.

Max Dorland of Ashton called in the Van Kuren home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rice entertained the following at dinner on

OHIO

Mrs. Esther Jackson,
Reporter

Raymond Montavon and family of Amboy were guests Sunday at the home of Postmaster Conrad Knuth and wife.

Charles A. Smith went to Chicago Tuesday evening with a shipment of cattle.

Mrs. Joseph Pomeroy, Jr., assisted by Mrs. Mary Inks, entertained Circle No. 3 of the Women's Division of Christian Service at the Pomeroy home Wednesday afternoon. In spite of the icy condition of the streets, there was an attendance of over twenty. Following the devotions, which were led by Mrs. Harry Peterson, there was a business meeting and the remainder of the afternoon was spent in needwork and social conversation. The hostesses served delicious refreshments.

Mrs. Darlene Sisler was hostess to the D. M. C. club at her home Tuesday afternoon. First prize was won by Mrs. Juanita Hey, and low by Mrs. Nellie O'Malley.

Frank Anderson, accompanied by his niece, Mrs. Margaret Piereson Edwards, of Princeton, departed Saturday for an extended visit in California.

About 125 men were present to enjoy the second annual Boosters club banquet at the Ohio opera house, Thursday evening. The delicious meal was prepared by the ladies of the First Lutheran church. Dr. Eddie Anderson, coach at the Iowa State University, was the speaker of the evening and gave a very interesting talk. Dr. Murphy of Dixon, a classmate of Dr. Anderson while in medical school, introduced the speaker.

Mrs. H. A. Jackson and daughter Dorothy and Mrs. Cora Barkman will be hostesses to Circle No. 2 of the Women's Division of Christian Service on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 21, at the Jackson home.

A. L. Lynch of Cosgrove, Iowa, was among those from a distance who attended the Boosters club banquet Thursday evening.

Mrs. Robert Ewalt entertained a party of little folks Thursday afternoon in honor of the fourth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Sylvia.

COMPTON

Mrs. T. Bauer, Reporter

Woman's Club

A delicious scramble supper was enjoyed by the Woman's club members and their gentlemen at the January meeting of the club, held Monday evening, Jan. 13th. Mrs. Gladys Bunting, citizenship chairman, presented the program. She distributed questions to the group pertaining to township and village government. These were answered by the group and were very interesting. John Archer, supervisor of Brooklyn township, explained the duties of his office. He stated that Lee county is the only county in the state that does not receive back their one-cent tax due them for relief purposes.

Mrs. Nellie Bernadin, chairman of the Red Cross, announced that the Red Cross material is here and all ladies are invited to meet at the church every Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock to begin this work. There will be knitting and sewing material. Bring your needle and thimble and if you knit, your knitting needles.

Mrs. Thompson gave a report of the December district board meeting which was held at Polo. Group singing was enjoyed by the group from our new club song books.

The last number on the program was a play entitled Diagnosis, under the direction of the fine arts chairman, Dee Thompson. The cast is as follows:

Mrs. Fitznoodle—Cora Beemer. Euphemia—Daisy July.

Dr. Katrinka Smith—Elizabeth Richardson.

Dr. Josephine Cracken Bonaparte Smith—Olivia Englehart.

Dr. Genevieve Cutupski Smith—Mary Wolfe.

Dr. Pansy Rose Mary Smith—Virginia Ogilvie.

Dr. Zenobia Smith—Laura Beemer.

Hostesses were: Cecil Johnson, Charlene Johnson, Anna Miller, Agnes Johnson, Cecil Whitsell and Edith Whitsell.

Royal Neighbors Meet

The Royal Neighbors lodge held installation at the home of Mrs. Anna Pettys Tuesday evening. Installing officer Cora Beemer; ceremonial marshal, Anna Pettys. Officers installed were:

Oracle—Margaret Archer; vice oracle—Tilla Bauer; past oracle—Myrtle Burley; chancellor—Cora Beemer; recorder—Ida Archer; receiver—Ida Longhene; inner sentinel—Clara Fairchild. After the business meeting, the men came and 500 was played, prizes going to Mrs. Cora Beemer, high; Mrs. Mae Archer, low; Lloyd McDougall, high and Roy Archer, low. A

Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fager of Forreston, Mr. and Mrs. John Binkley and Mrs. Cora Miller and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fischer, all of Polo, and the Rev. Rewald of Adeline.

delicious scramble lunch was enjoyed by all.

A miscellaneous shower and farewell party was given Miss Ruby Burke at the home of Antone Haefner Tuesday evening. Progressive euchre was played at eight tables, prizes going to Mrs. Herbert Klatt, high; Mrs. Irene Bauer, low; Weldon Bauer, high, and Antone Haefner, low. A delicious scramble lunch was enjoyed by all. She received many lovely gifts. Miss Ruby will become the bride of Harry Haefner of Waverly, Iowa in the near future. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Huff and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klatt and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woods and son Billy; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Carnahan, Mrs. Hazel Meade, Helen, Doris and Dick Meade, Frank Clemons, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Willis, daughter Norma, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Erlendbach and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Haefner, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kern and son Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Will Schroeder and William Schroeder Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright and family, Roy Riddarbelle, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bauer, Mrs. Louise Bauer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bauer and son Weldon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Metcalfe of DeKalb spent Wednesday here. Mrs. Metcalfe remained to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Florence Mireley.

Ed Blum of Dixon visited with Mrs. Ida Taylor Tuesday.

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Home Sold

The house purchased by William Lux, when the Elmer Lemke's moved to Rockford, has been resold to William Smith, an employee of the California Packing Corporation.

End of First Semester

Friday marked the close of the first half-year of school for Rochelle school children. Semester reports were issued for classroom work. Letters regarding the work of the instrumental music students were also issued recently.

Bobby Erbis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erbis, entertained friends this afternoon at a birthday party. He is now seven.

Firemen's Annual Ball

A full report of the year's fire destruction and prevention, will be given tonight preceding the annual firemen's ball, at the Bain ballroom. The fire-fighters personnel consists of Chief John Maxson, Assistant Chief S. M. Hamaker, Lieut. Scott Rice, Robert Varner, secretary and driver; E. W. Taylor, driver; Firemen W. H. Wheeler, W. F. Vierke, Arthur Wheeler, R. A. Hamaker, H. G. Troop, R. C. Mutton, Fred Harris, Russell Peters, Edmund Maley and Tom De Courcy.

Baptist Church

"For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also", Matt. 6:21.

Sunday school at 10 A. M. Morning worship at 11 A. M. Evangelistic service at 7:30 P. M.

Mid-week prayer service, Thursday night at church at 7:30.

Orchestra practice was held on Friday night at 110 South Washington Street.

Foursquare Church

Sunday school at 10 A. M. Morning worship 11 A. M. Missionary service.

Watch Tower Workers service at 6:30 P. M.

Crusader service 6:30 P. M. Evangelistic service. Musical program.

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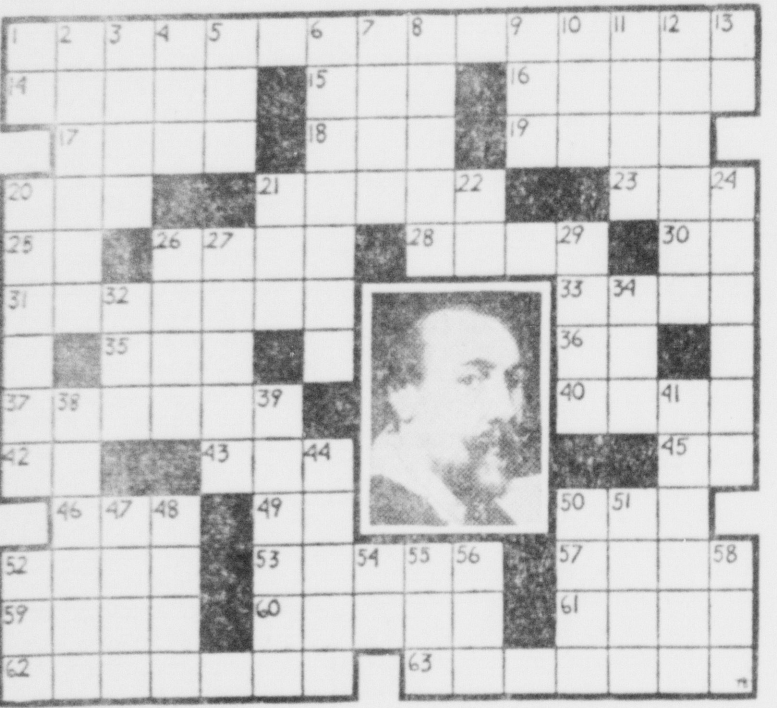
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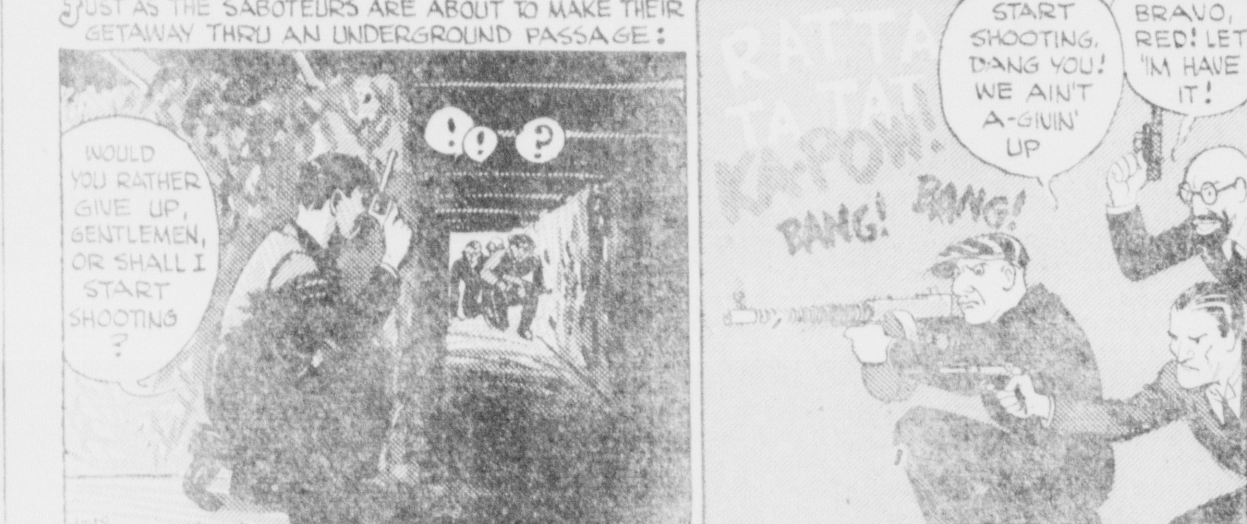
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Saigon, Indo-China, Jan. 18 (AP)—The French Asiatic squadron was declared by French sources Friday to have sunk two Thai warships and severely damaged a third in the first important naval engagement in the undeclared war between Indo-China and Thailand (Siam).
The encounter was said to have occurred in the Gulf of Siam, where the Thai ships were said to have been firing on a French patrol plane. The size and classifications of the ships were not stated. "Several" French units participated.
(It is doubtful if any French naval units larger than destroyers remain in Asiatic waters. The Thai navy has four cruisers and 14 destroyers. Most of these were built in Japan or Italy.)

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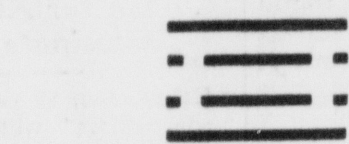
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Axis Fleet Will Outnumber U. S. Seapower if British Navy Meets Disaster, Says Secretary Knox

Comparison of U. S. and Axis' Navies

Washington, Jan. 17—(AP)—Secretary Knox gave the House foreign affairs committee today this estimate of the relative strengths of the United States navy and the combined forces of Germany, Italy and Japan:

	Jan. 1, 1941	Jan. 1, 1942	Jan. 1, 1943
U.S. Axis	U.S. Axis	U.S. Axis	U.S. Axis
Battleships	15 20	17 22	18 28
Aircraft Carriers	6 8	6 8	7 8
Cruisers	37 75	37 18	45 101
Destroyers	159 271	174 292	219 325
Submarines	105 284	108 400	133 500
Total fighting craft	322 658	342 803	422 862

Washington, Jan. 18—(AP)—Secretary of Navy Knox, urging passage of President Roosevelt's lease-lend bill "in our own best national interests," told the House foreign affairs committee yesterday that the United States navy would be heavily outnumbered by the fleets of the axis powers if British seapower should be destroyed.

The navy probably will commission 100 new fighting ships in the next two years, he said, but during the same period 304 new units would be swelling the axis forces.

The United States needs time to perfect its defenses, Knox said in his prepared statement, reminding the committee that the two-ocean navy construction program now under way would take six years to complete.

"Only Britain and its fleet can give us that time. And they need our help to survive."

Comparative Figures
Knox presented figures showing that the United States fleet had 322 fighting ships on Jan. 1, compared with an estimated 658 in the navies of Germany, Italy and Japan.

By next January, he said, the figures would be: United States, 342; axis powers, 803.

For Jan. 1, 1943, he rated comparative strengths: United States, 422; axis powers, 862.

Throughout the three year period the figures showed the United States outnumbered in every fleet category from battleships to submarines. Knox forecast the greatest increase in axis strength in submarines. He placed their present undersea fleet at 284 and estimated they would have 500 by 1943.

Knox said that if the United States "does not wish to face the consequences of the establishment in South America of aggressive military power, we should now prevent Germany from overturning the British sea power which holds the Nazis in Europe."

"If Germany becomes free to move across the ocean for the conquest of new territories," he continued, "she most probably will move first into South America to get hold of that great storehouse of national wealth."

Britain Has Helped

It is only by the combined sea power of the United States and Great Britain, Knox said, that the Atlantic and Pacific have "served as barriers against the aggressive designs of aggressive powers."

For 125 years, he asserted, British naval power has not threatened the United States.

This government proclaimed the Monroe doctrine in 1823 to keep the New World from being conquered by the Holy Alliance, he said and added: "We were successful in maintaining that doctrine only because of the support of Great Britain, whose overwhelming fleet could prevent overseas aggression from Europe."

He said full organization of American resources would permit help to Britain and at the same time preparation of strong American defenses.

"The cost to us in money, effort, and sacrifice will be great—but that cost will be far greater, even in the immediate future, should we now stand aside and let Britain fall," he said.

The present war, Knox contended, is "fundamentally, an attempt

by Germany to seize control of the sea from Great Britain."

He said that since the World War the United States has maintained "a one-ocean navy in the Pacific, and that navy has proved adequate in both directions only because the existence and the deployment of the British navy gave us security in the Atlantic."

For Single Purpose
"In effect," he continued, "both we and the British Commonwealth of nations actually have had a two-ocean navy, operated for a single peaceful purpose."

"We still have a one-ocean navy. We are building a two-ocean navy, but its structure will not be completed for six years. We need to complete that structure as fast as we can because the other part of our two-ocean navy is now in grave danger."

"The British navy can survive only if the British Isles survive. Should the British Isles fall, we can only believe that the British navy, which never runs from danger, will fall at the same time. I think we can safely assume that the British navy will share the fate of the courageous nation that supports it."

Should that come to pass, he said, "our fleet would necessarily be divided, to meet danger in both oceans. Whether it would be strong enough to protect even the regions nearest to us is a matter that can not now be fore told."

"Once we lose the power to control even a part of those seas (surrounding the hemisphere), inevitably the wars of Europe and Asia will be transferred to the Americas."

Nine to Be Tried in Japan for Attempt to Assassinate Statesman

Tokyo, Jan. 18—(AP)—Nine "reactionaries" will be tried on charges of attempting to assassinate "a certain important statesman close to the throne" last July it was disclosed Friday with the lifting of an official press ban.

The would-be assassins, according to Domei, Japanese news agency, planned to ambush the official and dynamite his automobile. The plot was said to have failed when they were unable to locate his car.

A second attempt on the life of the statesman, who was not identified, was foiled by police, Domei said.

The news agency quoted police as saying the prisoners believed Japan would be at a disadvantage were a British-Japanese conference on the Tientsin river blockade held at Tokyo, and sought to force transfer of the parley to Tientsin by assassinating one of the emperor's advisers.

Newspapers identified the intended victim by a word meaning the "emperor's chief vassal." That strengthened belief of observers that Karaihi Yuasa, a councillor, who died Dec. 24, was the man.

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FDR ALREADY HAS BROAD POWERS TO MEET EMERGENCY

Pending Aid - to - Britain Measure Would Augment Present Abilities

Washington, Jan. 18—(AP)—The broad authority which the pending aid-to-Britain measure would grant President Roosevelt would augment a wide variety of emergency powers which he is reserving for possible use in defense developments.

Most of these emergency powers, affecting such phases of American life as commerce, transportation and communications, became law when the United States was at war in 1917-18.

Some can be made effective only in wartime; others can be put into effect by executive order if war is deemed "imminent" or when the President proclaims a "national emergency."

Mr. Roosevelt announced a "national emergency" shortly after the European war broke out in September, 1939, but he said the situation then required the exercise of only a few of these special powers.

He Increased Army
For example, he made use of laws empowering him to increase the strength of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps and National Guard; to expand the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and to allocate \$500,000 to bring home Americans stranded in Europe.

Since then, Congress has voted the President new types of authority under the defense program. The conscription law includes a provision that the President can take over and operate on a rental basis industrial plants from which the government could not obtain defense orders as expeditiously as deemed necessary.

The old laws and defense legislation enacted within the last year, in the opinion of administration lawyers, give the President sufficient authority for handling any problems likely to arise while the nation is arming.

These legal experts say there is not much possibility or necessity for the President's issuing any proclamation of so-called "total emergency."

Applied Step by Step
Instead of by a blanket proclamation, Federal attorneys say, additional emergency powers would be applied step by step as needed. A separate executive order would be required to make each one effective.

The attorney general's office in October, 1939, listed the following

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among the major emergency powers of the Chief Executive:

To take possession of any transportation system (wartime only) and to demand preference for shipment of troops and war material (wartime or threatened war).

To forbid Federal reserve banks to do business except under treasury regulations, and to suspend trading on securities exchanges for 90 days.

To investigate, regulate or prohibit transactions in foreign exchange, and export, hoarding, melting or earmarking of gold or silver coin, bullion or currency.

To appoint Army and Navy officers to higher temporary grades and to call back retired officers (wartime only).

Restriction on Imports
To prohibit or restrict importation of articles from a country which restricts importation of United States products (during a war in which the United States is not engaged).

To take over power houses, dams, conduits and reservoirs for making munitions.

To let the Federal Power Commission require temporary connections and transmission of electrical energy whenever its determines that war or a sudden increase in demands for electrical energy requires it.

To remove duties from imported food, clothing, and medical supplies for emergency relief work.

To waive or modify the monthly apportionment of appropriations for governmental departments.

To take action in respect to

credit expansion when an economic emergency so requires.

To order the National Guard and army and naval reserves to active duty.

To order certain inventions kept secret and to withhold patents (wartime only).

Retired U. S. Admiral for Convoying Material

Champaign, Ill., Jan. 18—(AP)—The United States fleet, says Admiral Yates Stirling, Jr., U. S. Navy, retired, should be concentrated in the Atlantic immediately and used to convoy war material to Great Britain.

"The defeat of Hitler must be our first objective," Admiral Stirling asserted emphatically in a speech on the University of Illinois campus.

"If we become too involved now in the Pacific, we shall be playing into the hands of Hitler with Japan. Anything Japan takes now can be retaken if England wins."

Declaring "we're at war now,"

the admiral advocated use of the Pacific fleet in the Atlantic except for a detachment that would serve to maintain a "defensive attitude" toward Japan.

BARRACKS WERE OPPOSED

At one time barracks for housing soldiers were opposed in England on grounds that they would encourage the growth of a standing army.

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Jobless Benefits on '40 Wages Not Due Until April 1

Job insurance benefits for unemployed workers on the basis of wages earned in insured jobs during the year 1940 are not payable until after April 1, Manager F. W. Southwick of the Sterling, Illinois State Employment Service office played worker depend upon the said today.

"The benefit rights of an unemployed worker he earned in a calendar year," explained Manager Southwick. Under the Illinois law, job insurance payments, however, cannot start until after April 1 of the year immediately following the end of the calendar year in which the qualifying wages were earned.

"For example, in April 1940, the state started to pay Unemployment Compensation to eligible jobless workers on their earnings in the year 1939. Payments on 1939 earnings will continue until the end of March 1941.

"Commencing with April 1941, benefits will be paid on the basis of wages earned during the year 1940 with employers covered by the Illinois Unemployment Compensation law."

To qualify for benefit payments for unemployment that occurs between now and March 31, 1941, a worker must have earned \$225 or more in 1939 working for employers of eight or more persons. From April 1, 1941 to March 31, 1942, workers who earned \$225 or more in 1940 working for employers of six or more persons will be entitled to draw benefits if they meet all other eligibility tests.

Persons claiming benefits must be able to work and ready to take a suitable job whenever one is offered. All claims for unemployment compensation must be made at the Illinois State Employment Service office for the district in which the worker lives.

In addition to the full time office in Sterling, itinerant offices are operated in Morrison, Fulton, Savanna, and Mt. Carroll on Thursday of each week, and at the city hall in Dixon on Wednesdays.

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